

# BUILDING CONSTRUCTION HIGHLIGHT OF PAST YEAR

Drayton Valley in 1969 enjoyed a year of excellent growth with building permits value to November 1st reaching \$1,130,386 compared to \$579,530 for the previous year. Final figures for the year will not be available until early in the new year.

Residential building to November 1st accounted for \$38,450 and industrial \$95,050. The year past saw several businesses move to new or improved premises. The panel below shows a number of buildings recently completed or nearing completion.



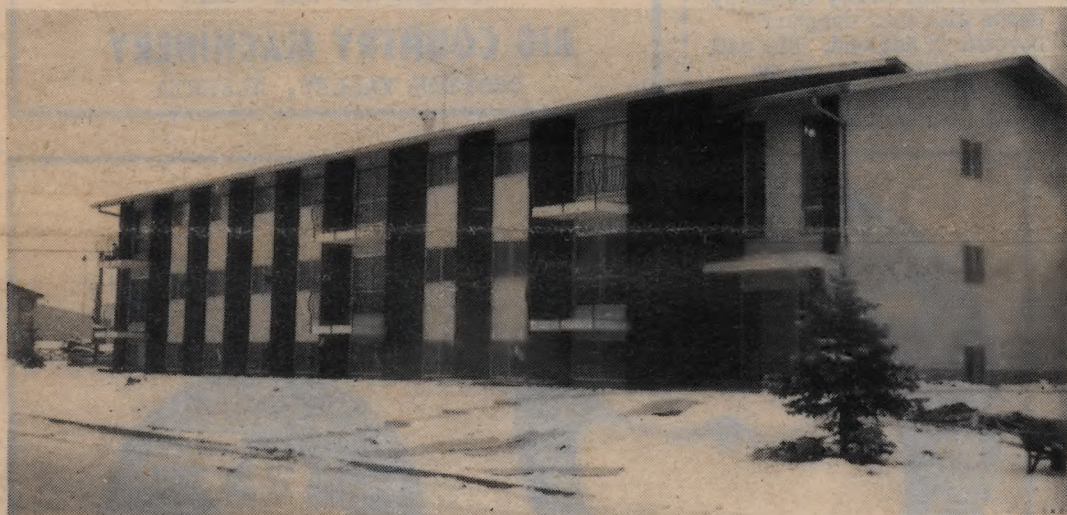
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## THE WESTERN REVIEW

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA  
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### INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT COORDINATOR APPOINTED BY TOWN COUNCIL

Mr. Donald Vanstone, Calgary Power District Manager, has been named Industrial Development Coordinator for the Town of Drayton Valley for 1970 and will develop a committee for the study of industrial possibilities of the area.

Mr. Vanstone, who was transferred from Athabasca to Drayton Valley last summer, held a similar position in the northern town and has been actively engaged in the industrial development field for the past ten years.

Mr. Vanstone was present at the December 11th meeting of Town Council and outlined the possibilities and workings of an Industrial Development Committee. He noted that much of the early endeavor of such a committee would be of an exploratory nature and would not be likely to produce



Don Vanstone

concrete results immediately.

He pointed out that most towns have three things in common that make it difficult for them to formulate plans and a goal in attracting industry. They are: personnel with a lack of the knowledge of how to go about attracting industry; failure to use the best contacts available; and lack of information on how to go about effective advertising.

"Eighty percent of industrial growth comes from within the community, rather than being brought in," he said. For this reason he suggested an early undertaking for the committee should be an assessment of industrial possibilities that already exist in the area.

Membership in the Alberta Industrial Development Board should be obtained immediately, he said, to allow a town

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### Committee to Prepare Brief

At its last regular meeting Town Council named a committee of Howard Pickup and R.B. Smith to prepare a brief for presentation to the Electoral Boundaries Commission in January.

The committee intends to start preparation of a brief immediately after Christmas and extends an invitation to individuals of the community to express their feelings on the subject. The committee, however, asks that concerned persons make their views known immediately as time is very limited for preparation of the brief.

### CORRECTION

In a Western Review story last week (Council Rejects Unseating Bid) the editor of this newspaper was in error in reporting that Mr. Adrian Meier stated "that as rental agent for the Fitzgerald Building in Drayton Valley, Mr. Johnson had ..."

Mr. Meier has pointed out correctly that the words "rental agent" were not used in either of his letters to

Town Council.

First paragraph of his original letter stated: "Since Deputy Mayor T.W.D. Johnson is the local agent for Mr. Joe Fitzgerald and caretaker of the Fitzgerald Building and is, no doubt, receiving a fee for his work, it is my opinion that he disqualified himself as a councillor when voting on matters pertaining to the Fitzgerald Building."

# Merry Christmas

.... AND BEST WISHES FOR THE NEW YEAR FROM THE STAFF OF THE WESTERN REVIEW

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# CHRISTMAS Message

## THE COMPLICATED CHRISTMAS

Christmas is complicated. All of us who are adults somehow wish that we might be transported back to our childhood to celebrate the simple festival of our youth. Today, Christmas is too complicated. Fulfilling the social obligations of this season simply makes us stagger - in more ways than one. Making the round of company parties, club affairs, childrens' programs, church services - should we get something for the milkman? Everybody has everybody else over for an evening until there aren't any evenings left. Who doesn't tread the modern maze of our Christmas without wondering at times if it is some kind of Yuletide madness? "God rest ye merry gentleman!" But who can rest with everyone making merry?

Christmas is complicated. Some businesses simply wouldn't survive without it. Accompanied by the clanking of the cash register many a store owner can sing "Jesus Loves Me" as he tallies up the take. "We got a card from the Sauerbraten's - did we

send them one?" "Who on earth are the Sauerbraten's?"

Give us the good old days before Christmas was complicated - whenever that was. The first Christmas was sure complicated. Caesar Augustus was playing checkers with the world. Everyone was frantically on the move. "There's somebody here who claims he has a reservation - name of Joseph." "Tell him we're all filled up, the only thing left is the bam." Mary pregnant, and complications set in. Blood, darkness, pain, straw for a delivery table. That first Christmas was rudely stubbornly complicated.

Our world and our lives are complication, sinfully so. At Christmas God added another factor - Himself. The Incarnation we call it. God entered the complicated world of men through human flesh. In Jesus' crude birth He gripped the tangled knots of men's suffering, rejection and frantic merry making. Already in His birth Jesus foreshadowed the kind of life that lay ahead and ultimately brought Him to the cross. He unraveled our tangle.

And Christmas? We celebrate Christmas not when we are lulled into some forgotten simplicity that never was but when we believe in what Christ did and by His love involve ourselves in the pain and poverty and brokenness of human beings. Christmas is complicated, no doubt about it. The problem, however, is not that we are too busy and joyous. "We're just busy with the wrong people and joyous in the wrong way. So, complicate your Christmas! Let God take over.

Rev. Dale D. Mohr  
Emmaus Lutheran Church

Wear a Smile - and everyone will wonder what you have been up to!



## Christmas Joy

We would like to wish all of our many friends and relatives a Merry Christmas and the best for the coming New Year. We are sending money to U.N.I.C.E.F. instead of cards.

Albert, Alice, Wanda  
and Lola Anderson.

## Merry Christmas



We're tuning in to a season full of fun during the Christmas holiday, and we're wishing the best of it to all our good friends. Thanks for your many favors and good will.



## NORTHERN VIDEO SALES

Gunther and Ann Schmidt  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

## Development Coordinator

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representative to attend its meeting in January. This is the best place to sell assets and advantages of the community, he added. The Board he said, is also the best means of having the Drayton Valley story told in other places.

He also suggested updating of the General Plan and then binding in loose leaf form to allow for amendments as they become necessary.

A budget of about \$1,000 was thought to be adequate for the committee's first year and this sum would include \$300 for a one-week course at the U of A next June for one member of the board.

Mr. Vanstone was enthusiastic about the course, which he has already attended, and suggested that it is very important to his mind that members of the new group be given the opportunity to attend to greatly increase their effectiveness.

## LODGEPOLE NEWS

A New Year's Social Evening will be held at the Community Centre on December 31st. There will be card games, record music and refreshments. Admission \$1.00 per person or \$1.50 per couple. Come and join your friends in welcoming the brand new '70's. Everyone welcome!

The Elliot family visited by phone with their daughter Layonne in England. The call there was at 3 p.m. in the afternoon, but here it was 6 a.m. in the morning.



## WARM CHRISTMAS WISHES

Warm wishes are sent your way, and so are heartiest thanks.

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and Staff

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## A Peaceful Christmas

May you see the fulfillment of your prayers in this Holy Season.

Management and Staff

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DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS



It's Christmas, and we're so glad to chime in with our own good wishes to you, your family and friends. For

your loyal patronage, accept our warm thanks. We shall continue in our sincere endeavor to please you, our dear customers.

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## EDITORIAL COMMENT

### Another Strange Constituency

We're aware that an electoral boundaries commission must be faced with a rather complicated task in juggling borders to arrange constituencies with reasonable voter representation. We can also understand that it would be impossible to satisfy everyone in every constituency. What we don't understand, is why an apparent monster manages to find its way into each attempt at redistribution.

Federally, the monster is the Rocky Mountain riding stretching from the U.S. border to the Peace River country. Its counterpart in the provincial field is undoubtedly the Whitecourt Constituency that stretches from Valleyview to within a few miles of Drayton Valley.

The long dip into the south was probably required to get a few more voters into the sparsely-settled, north-south corridor. But it seems that it might have been possible to gain voting strength by moving the constituency's eastern boundary rather than coming so far south.

There seems little likelihood of any common interests between people living in Moon Lake and those in Valleyview. And how much interest in the far southern reaches of the constituency would a member have if he should be elected in either Valleyview or Whitecourt.

Whitecourt probably will be one of the constituencies coming in for a fair amount of criticism at meetings of the Electoral Boundaries Commission in January. Residents of the southern edge of the riding have an opportunity at that time to make their views known if they are concerned about where they have landed under redistribution.

### A Ridiculous Vote

Our interpretation of last Thursday's rejection of the proposed school at Evansburg is that there was considerable good will expressed by those voting in favor of the school. The relatively close vote confirms this.

It is also obvious that increased school facilities are needed somewhere east of Edson. But in the opinion of those people living in the Niton-Wildwood area the place to build the school is not at Evansburg. This is clear from the way the voting went.

The ploy of the Department of Education in forming a Edson-Stony Regional High School District to solve the particular problem of our east end and Parkland's west end did not work. If the area is a viable unit for school administrative purposes then it should stand on its own financially. Instead the Department wanted to spawn this paper hybrid, but still retain the backing of the assessments in Edson School Division and Parkland.

The point of view expressed by one interested group prior to the plebiscite that the only cost would be the 28 mills requisitioned for the "Foundation Program" is complete nonsense. While a high pressure percentage of the capital costs are paid through the foundation program, the taxpayers in the Edson School Division and Parkland County would have been stuck with the administrative costs, mainly teachers' salaries which aren't always covered in the foundation program.

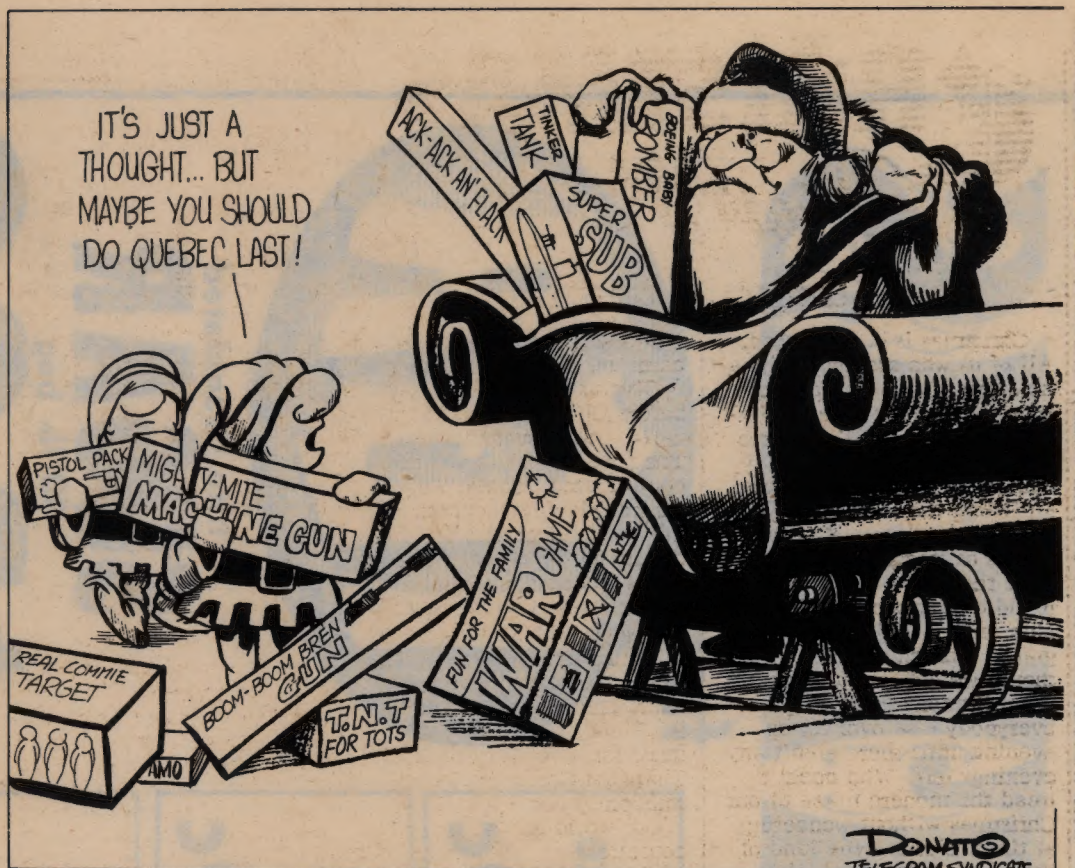
In fact, Edson taxpayers were requisitioned in 1969 for 31 mills "supplemental" costs over and above the 28 mills for the foundation program. A special grant from the Provincial Government, just before the recent by-election, had the effect of reducing this requisition to 27 mills. But there is no indication that special grants would be continued.

The main reason for the supplemental requisitions in Edson School Division, and we stand to be corrected if we are wrong, is the low teacher-pupil relationship. Apparently the ideal is 25 pupils to one teacher as expressed at the recent Minister's Conference on educational costs. When a school is set up in an area like Evansburg where there is some evidence that the pupil population is dropping, the teacher-pupil relationship drops. This, then explains, partly, why our supplemental requisition soared to four mills more than the basic foundation cost.

The Niton-Wildwood-Evansburg area is clearly a special situation. Low pupil populations and low assessments make it incumbent on the Provincial Department of Education to treat the area as one which does not fit into the general educational picture.

The Provincial Government from its general revenue should stand the shot for this particular problem. Not the municipal taxpayers of Edson, Hinton or Drayton Valley.

-- Edson Leader.



### BOWLING RESULTS

Monday 9-11 p.m.-- In-Laws 26, Blanks 24, Handicapped 20, All or nothing 30, Benson 33, Munsters 23.

Tuesday 7-9 p.m.--Comets 36, Diddlers 20, Beginners 26, Young Uns 15, Jays 32, Tippers 27.

Tuesday 9-11 p.m.--Big Timers 36, Dumb Dumbs 32, Bimbo's 24, Mr. Clean 21, Gamblers 21, Falling Stars 22.

Wednesday 7-9 p.m.--Blackouts 29, Spurters 15, Pea Soups 33, Blades 25.

Thursday 7-9 p.m.--Five Pins 34, Rams 34, Rockets 29, In Crowd 16, Head Pins 27, Good Sports 16.

Thursday 9-11 p.m.--Leftovers 23, Smokey's 34, Blue Ribbons 30, Phantoms 22, Pin Killers 23, The 7-13's 24.

Monday Ladies 1:30-3:30--Alley Ramblers 27, Crickets 20, Little Arrows 18, Gay 5's 30, 5# Leftovers 31, Gusek 30.

Monday Ladies 4-6 p.m.--Zero's 40, Moby Dolls 22, For-Get-Me-Nots 27, Jinx's 26, Hurley's Hurlers 18, Happy Jacks 23.

Tuesday Ladies 1:30-3:30 - Nabob's 24, Old Timers 21, Mungirls 20, Kookies 35, Ace's 29, Drop Outs 27.

Men-- Boo Boo's 33, Elko's 21, Old Rams 30, Pin Nutz 18, Fireballs 26, Pickups 28.

Mixed League -- Ladies H.S., Delia Duperron 298, Ladies H.T., Marilyn Kynock 759, Mens H.S., Joe Ramshaw 318, Mens H.T., Pat Casey 741, Team H.S., & H.T., Blades 1054 & 2929, High Averages - men, Chris Frank 225, Gordon McManus 223, Ron Howatt 222, John Reid 216, Lee Hurley 216, Ladies, Eleanor Metzger 211, Delia Duperron 210, Marg Tuttle 200, Hilda Rand 186, Norma Howatt 186, Rose Wickland 186.

Mens League -- H.S., John Hurley 373, H.T., Emil Hagman 814, Team H.S., Pin Nutz 1232, Team H.T., Old Rams 3257, High Averages - Gordon McManus 229, Stan Metelski 218, Henry Metzger 215, Leo Holz 214.

Ladies League -- H.S., Delia Duperron 298, H.T., Emma Pigeon 643, Team H.S. & H.T., Jinx's 1065 & 2898, High Averages - Eleanor Metzger 213, Emma Pigeon 207, Marg Tuttle 201, Delia Super Duperron 197, Ruby Hurley 188.

The Bowlers of the Week are John Hurley with 373 and Delia Duperron with 298 points. The Bowling Banquet at-

### Christmas Message From County Reeve

I thank you, Mr. Editor, for this privilege to extend to your readers the compliments of the season on behalf of the Council and employees of the County of Parkland. This past year has been a most arduous one. The growing pains of the change to County Government have been many and varied. I feel it has been a real success however. The better coordination of activities and operation have been most beneficial, the most obvious being the maintenance of the schools.

I must commend our staff in that the two staffs, Municipal and School melded together so well and smoothly with no bickering or fighting. I commend also you, the ratepayers, for your co-operation during the year, especially when things were slow in getting done. For Local Government to function, there must be a continuing liaison between the ratepayers and your elected people to know what your thoughts and wishes are. We look forward to and encourage your participation.

For the farmers this has been a most disastrous year in most of the County. Spring frosts, drouth, hail then more frost and rain, plus declining prices have created a most critical situation. We trust 1970 will be vastly improved in all these areas.

In closing, may I again wish everyone the compliments of the season and may there truly be PEACE ON EARTH TO MEN OF GOODWILL.

Yours truly,  
L.N. Miller,  
Reeve.

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tended by some 300 bowlers and guests climaxed the end of the first third of the bowling season. Needless to say, it was again a great success.

Bowling will resume on the week beginning January 5th, 1970.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all.

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## A Look at The Western Review Files

### JANUARY 8

First prize for Christmas home decorating was awarded this week to the Adam Eckert family ... The Wally Peters rink of Drayton Valley won the Legion Zone curling finals held here and will advance to the district play off ... Funeral services were held for Mr. Henry Nelson of Buck Creek, who passed away December 14th ... Senior citizens were honored at a Christmas party by the O.O.R.P. on December 17th.

### JANUARY 15

Bob Cowan has been elected president of the Drayton Valley and District Chamber of Commerce ... The Harry Acheson rink won top prize in the Pembina Oilmen's Bonspiel last week ... New officers of the Canadian Legion and Ladies' Auxiliary were installed in office at ceremonies here last week.

### JANUARY 22

The Provincial Cabinet has authorized a change in name by the County of Stony Plain to the "County of Parkland" ... By Friday of this week Alberta will set a new record for consecutive days below zero ... Funeral services were held December 27th for Mrs. Della Kennedy of Burtons-ville ... The Ed Lauer family of Poplar Ridge lost all personal possessions in a fire that gutted their trailer home ... Search for Talent Show was held here Saturday and despite 20-below weather and treacherous roads a good crowd was present.

### JANUARY 29

Annual town census shows a population of 3,435, an increase of 109 over last year ... "Name the Rodeo" contest has been won by Mr. Hill Innis with his suggestion "Evergreen Rodeo" ... The Ruff rink of Warburg won the Massey-Ferguson Curl-o-Rama held last week and advance to the district final at Rimbey ... County of Parkland and town officials met last Thursday to discuss areas of common interest.

### FEBRUARY 5

Seventeen cars of an east bound CNR freight train were derailed and scattered along the right-of-way at Entwistle Saturday morning ...

# THE YEAR IN RETROSPECT

Mrs. Peter Crawford of Tomahawk was honored recently on her 90th birthday ... Mrs. Peggy Tyler was elected president of the Red Cross branch at the annual meeting Thursday ... Mr. Walter Romano won the Air Cadet bingo jackpot of \$170 last week.

### FEBRUARY 12

Dr. Bruce Longley is now associated in practice with Dr. Henry Shimbashi in Drayton Valley ... Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hernberg and family of the Camwood district lost all household possessions and clothing in a fire that destroyed their home Saturday ... George Hart has been elected president of the Pembina Oilfield F.G.A. ... The Ken Smith rink of Edmonton won first prize in the Evansburg open bonspiel last week.

### FEBRUARY 19

Representatives of the Drayton Valley business community were present at last Thursday's regular meeting of Town Council to seek information on the new licensing bylaw that has substantially increased the fees paid by many businesses ... Miss Pat Orchison of the Fallis Food Club was crowned queen of the 4-H Valentine ball at Sundance Hall Friday evening ... Flying saucers are back in the news with reports last week of U.F.-O.'s over a large part of northern Alberta.

### FEBRUARY 26

The Marshall Vander Ploeg rink won the Grand Challenge event in the Drayton Valley open bon-

spiel last week ... Drayton Valley Lions Club held its 12th Charter Night Friday evening ... Annual meeting of ratepayers held Monday evening heard that the town ended the year with a surplus of \$24,618 ... Walter and Harold Hesselbarth have purchased the Drayton Bakery from Mr. Otto Nickel.

### MARCH 5

Damage to roof trusses forced closure of the Evansburg Centennial Arena in the week prior to the official opening scheduled for March 1st ... Town Council and County of Parkland have agreed to terms for stationing a county fire truck in Drayton Valley ... Tenders were called last week by the Federal Department of Public Works for lease-build postal accommodation in Drayton Valley ... The Rebels have been eliminated from league and provincial "C" playoffs ... Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rybak were honored on their 50th anniversary February 15th.

### MARCH 12

The Emma Lien rink of Sherwood Park won the Drayton Valley Ladies' Open 'Spiel last week ... Rotary District Governor Reg Pierce of Peace River visited the local club last week ... Mr. Ed Hines has been elected president of the Senior Citizen's club ... F.M.H.S. Warriors defeated Warburg Trotters in two games to win the Pembina League title.

### MARCH 19

Bob Mayhew has been elected president of the Drayton Valley Rotary Club for a second term ... Mr. Paul Rhein, formerly of Evansburg, passed away in Edmonton on March 6th at 85 years of age ... Drayton Valley Oil Wives Club celebrated its 11th birthday March 10th ... Registration has started for a summer figure skating school in Drayton Valley.

### MARCH 26

A sod-turning ceremony was held Sunday afternoon at the site of the new Calvary Baptist Church at the corner of 50th Avenue and 45th Street ... Over 2,000 persons attended the annual ice carnival last weekend. Miss Joyce Rend-flesh was crowned Carnival Queen ... County business was discussed at the annual meeting of Parkland ratepayers in Stony Plain last Saturday.

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*A Peaceful Christmas*

Serene good wishes and sincere thanks.

**U.F.A. CO-OP**

Rusty and Noreen Jorgenson

DRAYTON VALLEY



*Christmas*

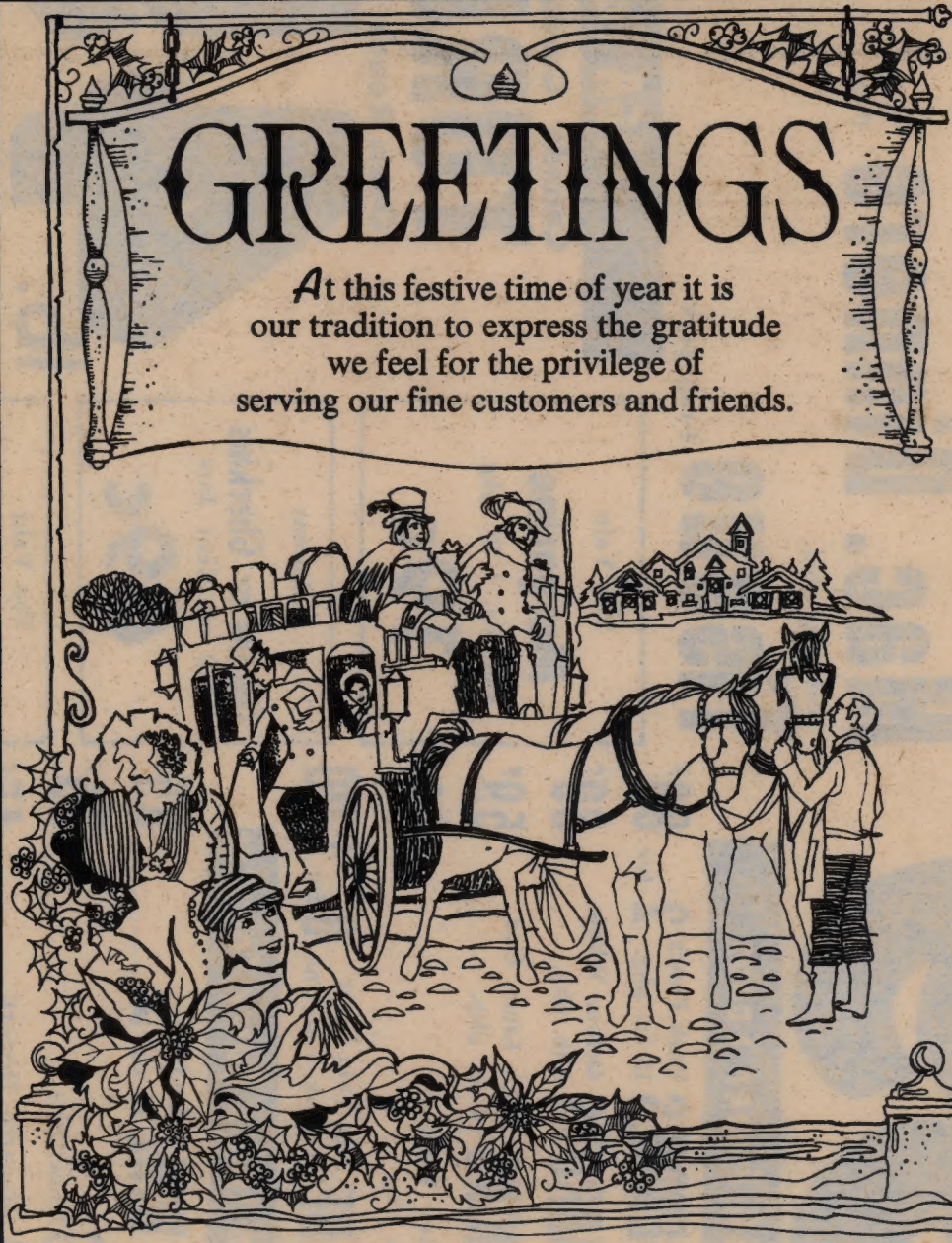
In the spirit of this beautiful season, we greet our friends and extend sincere gratitude for their kindness and loyalty.

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**GREETINGS**

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John and Lil Moody and Staff

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# Merry Christmas

Rosy cheeks sparkling eyes, happy voices...children in anticipation of everything that Christmas brings: the family tree, stacks of presents, bells ringing out sweet carols, stockings filled with goodies, Santa Claus...and the solemnity of each tiny creche. Watching the delight, the awe, the wonder in a child's face is knowing the Spirit of Christmas. To all, our sincere greetings of the season plus our gratitude and thanks.

## BLOCKS STORE

Ria and Hamdon and Staff

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# CHRISTMAS Message

## THE GREATEST GIFT

Christmas is a time of giving. The custom of exchanging gifts at Christmas has grown beyond financial limitations. Stores are crowded with shoppers and the toy section literally moves with inquisitive and excited "dreamers". The most wanted gifts are those they see advertised on the T.V. and they just cannot enjoy life without finding them under the tree on Christmas morning.

Mt. 2: records the wise men coming from the East that very first Christmas with gifts for a King. Verse eleven tells us that when they entered the house, they saw the young child with Mary, his mother, and they fell down and worshipped him; and when they had opened their treasures, they presented unto him gifts; gold, and frankincense and Myrrh.

How often do we read the account of the wise men coming to see Jesus and emphasize the treasures they brought gold, frankincense and Myrrh and neglect to discover the greatest gift of all which was their worship. When King Herod talked to these wise men he also wanted to know more about this new born King so he could worship him him also. Alas, we read that Herod never did worship him, he only tried to destroy him.

The Bible tells us that Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever. Sometimes we see little change in men through the years. The Caesar Augustus is still collecting taxes, the Inn has no room, King Herod never even heard that Christ was born. How grateful we should be that this is not the complete Christmas story?

The doubt and gloom of these men soon disappears when we try and visualize the excitement on those hills outside Bethlehem that night. Angels singing, "Glory to God in the Highest, and on earth peace, good will toward men." The Messiah had come. Christ was born. They could hardly believe it when the angel said, "Fear not; behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. Christmas is a time of excitement. Christmas is a time of great joy. Christ is born! Simeon rejoiced, Anna gave thanks, each responding in their own way to the gift of redemption and love which God gave the world through Christ Jesus. The wise men travelled far across the desert to find the Christ child and when they found Him, they worshipped Him. The whole purpose of their coming according to Mt. 2:2 was worship. Christmas is worship. Christmas is giving. Giving our "Thanks" our "Joys" our heart felt "emotions" in the true act of "Worship".

May we, like the wise men, worship Christ at Christmas before we open our treasures and present our gifts. Gold, frankincense and myrrh were truly costly gifts but the greatest gift and sometimes the most costly of all gifts is our worship.

Ps. 95:6 O come, let us worship and bow down; let us kneel before the Lord our maker.

Pastor Donald G. Snell  
The Church of God



## BLESSINGS

True blessings of Christmas arise from that first wondrous Holy Night, and may they be yours. Thanks.

**DRAYTON KWIK KLEEN**

PHONE 543-4731 - DRAYTON VALLEY

**CHRISTMAS GREETINGS**

Please accept this old-fashioned wish for a cheery, wonderful holiday season . . . along with a warm "thank you."

From the Managers and Staff of  
**Eriksson's Music Centre**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



## The Hanging of the Crane

O fortunate, O happy day!  
When a new household finds its place  
Among the myriad homes of earth,  
Like a new star just sprung to birth  
And rolled on its harmonious way  
Into the boundless realms of space!  
So said the guests in speech and song,  
As in the chimney burning bright,  
We hung the iron crane to-night,  
And merry was the feast and long.

EARLY CHRISTMAS GREETINGS WERE sometimes devoted to themes other than the Yule season — witness this excerpt from an antique card, showing a portrait of Henry Wadsworth Longfellow and lines from his poem, "The Hanging of the Crane." Longfellow's "The Village Blacksmith" appeared on the same card. The card is from the Hallmark Historical Collection.

## "Direction '70"

### Meetings Planned

Hon. H.A. Ruste, Alberta agricultural minister, has announced that a series of six regional "Direction '70" meetings will be held at the following Alberta centres during January, 1970: Edmonton, January 6th; Red Deer January 8th; Fairview, January 13th; Lethbridge, January 15th; Sedgewick, January 20th; and Vermilion, January 22nd.

The six regional meetings, according to Mr. Ruste, will be patterned on the successful "Direction '70" meeting held last month at Edmonton. At that time producers, representing many farm commodity groups and many phases of agricultural production, met with provincial and federal

marketing and trade experts and discussed possible long and short-term solutions to many of the problems facing Alberta farmers today.

Mr. Ruste said he hoped

that the regional meetings would pave the way for the same kind of free and open discussions that were in evidence at the Edmonton meeting last month.

Santa is coming your way with plenty of jolly good wishes for your holiday, and thanks.

**Merry Christmas**  
**RUDY'S BARBER SHOP**  
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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

Watch carefully and you may see Santa speeding our message your way for a happy holiday for you and yours. Thanks for your confidence and support.

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DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA





## Senior Citizens Enjoy Annual Christmas Event

Senior citizens of the town and district were treated to a Christmas dinner and entertainment by the Order of Royal Purple in the Elks Hall Sunday, Dec-

ember 14th. This composite photo shows the group as the evening's entertainment was about to begin. A large number of residents enjoyed the party.

## Jr. High Notes

On Tuesday, December 9th the Drayton Valley Junior High held its annual parent-teacher interviews. The Students' Union participated by serving coffee and doughnuts, and directed the parents to appropriate rooms. The students with to thank parents for their contributions towards their adopted daughter.

On December 9th the girls' basketball team hosted the Warburg team. The score was 40-13 in favor of the Drayton Valley team. Top scorers were Debra Saulnier, Cheryl Daviduk, Susan Hagman and Charlene Wilkes. Warburg's star player was Carol Bernes.

## Sundance 4-H Clubs Hold Banquet and Awards Night

Sundance 4-H Beef and Garden Clubs held a joint banquet and awards night on Saturday, December 6th. Guest speaker for the evening was Mr. Allen Shenfield.

After a very enjoyable supper, the head table and trophy donors were introduced. Then followed reports on 4-H Club week held at Olds, Alberta, by Dorcas Hiltz and Terry Bentley, and reports on their respective club years by Judy Richter of the Beef Club and Nina Yakimovich of the Garden Club.

Presentation of awards then took place, and were as follows: Beef Club -- Champion Calf, Judy Richter, trophy by Royal Bank of Canada; Reserve Champion, Ian Ferrier, trophy by Small's Self Serve; Showmanship, Dorcas Hiltz,

trophy donated by Pembina Peerless Coal; Judging, Robert Ekroth, trophy by Yorks Motors; Best set of records, Heather Ferrier, Melrose Stock Farm; Runner-up records, Dorcas Hiltz, Pembina Peerless Coal; Best rate of gain, Heather Ferrier, trophy donated by Lazy A Ranch; Public Speaking, Dorcas Hiltz, trophy by Everest Herefords Farm; Efficiency Award, Heather Ferrier, award donated by the P-H Ranch.

PeeWee Awards -- Champion Calf, Ralph Johnson, trophy by Sundance Community Club; Reserve Champion, Dean Strangway, trophy donated by S.R. Bamber; Best set of records, Ralph Johnson, trophy by P. Hardman; Showmanship, Ralph Johnson, trophy donated by Spruce Lum-

ber.

Leaders Awards -- Laura Blair, Roslin Blair, Wilma Charlet, Heather Ferrier, Ian Ferrier, Dorcas Hiltz, Judy Richter and Marvin Richter.

Garden Club -- Achievement Day Display, Terry Bentley, trophy donated by Royal Bank of Canada; Best Sr. Garden, Terry Bentley, trophy by Seba General Store; Best Jr. Garden, Nina Yakimovich, trophy by Overlander Lodge; Efficiency Award, Nina Yakimovich, trophy donated by L. Hiltz.

Leaders Awards -- Terry Bentley, Wilma Charlet, Heather Ferrier, Ian Ferrier,

## Second Section

### THE WESTERN REVIEW

Drayton Valley, Alberta  
Wed., Dec. 24, 1969

Dorcas Hiltz and Nina Yakimovich.

Winners to attend 4-H Club Week are Randy Rosin of the Beef Club and Nina Yakimovich of the Garden Club.

Dorcas Hiltz presented gifts from the members to leaders Mr. and Mrs. Ferrier and to Mrs. Charlet, the assistant leader of the Garden Club; Also to the adult committee of the Beef Club, Mr. Blair, Mr. Johnson and Mr. Rosin.

Terry Bentley then introduced Mr. Allen Shenfield who gave a very interesting address.

## C. A. H. L. HOCKEY -- Tuesday, January 6

CENTENNIAL ARENA, DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

8:30 p.m.

### CAMROSE MAROONS vs DRAYTON VALLEY REBELS

#### LINE-UPS

##### Drayton Valley Rebels

- 1 -- Lorne Foster
  - 2 -- Dale Rippel
  - 3 -- Kevin Mayan
  - 4 -- Rod Colbert
  - 5 -- Gary Haack
  - 6 -- Alvin Hopfe
  - 7 -- Keith Mundie
  - 8 -- Cliff Elliott
  - 9 -- Ron Hemmingway
  - 10 -- Wayne Garding
  - 11 -- Doug Hall
  - 12 -- Terry McGowan
  - 13 -- Barry Ness
  - 15 -- Dan Davie
  - 16 -- Terry Jevne
  - 17 -- Frank Novosel
  - 20 -- Barry Pankewicz
- Manager -- Harold Reinhart  
Coach -- Ken Machan  
Trainer -- Dennis Riske

##### Camrose Maroons

- 1 -- Doug Galena
  - 1 -- Dennis Gaede
  - 3 -- Chris Oullette
  - 5 -- Joe Haugen
  - 6 -- D. Liske
  - 7 -- John Froehler
  - 8 -- E. Berry
  - 9 -- Jim Holt
  - 10 -- Len Gumpinger
  - 11 -- Gary Jeglum
  - 12 -- Jack Molsted
  - 13 -- Stu Bailey
  - 15 -- M. Kinnee
  - 16 -- Dwayne Kinnee
  - 17 -- L. Ledine
  - 18 -- Elwood Dilworth
  - 19 -- J. Franceur
  - 20 -- A. Brandt
- Manager -- Lorne Kendal  
Coach -- Joe Voytechk  
Trainer -- Peter Wollman

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## A Look at The Western Review Files

APRIL 2

Kathy Goertz of the Tomahawk Beef Club won first prize in the western region 4-H public speaking semi-finals in the Keephills Hall ... Fred Kaarsemaker won a Rotary Club speaking contest and a trip to Ottawa ... Mrs. Claudette Winder of Drayton Valley was the lucky winner of a \$1,000 certificate in a pack of Peter Jackson cigarettes ... Tomahawk Totems won the Drayton Valley and District Bantam championship in a playoff series with Burrows Motors Seals ... Girl Guide Joanne Chenery has been chosen for a trip to the International Guide meeting in Switzerland.

APRIL 9

Annual convention of F.U.A. District 5 was held in Drayton Valley Saturday evening ... Town Council has agreed to enter a contract with Animal Care Ltd. of Calgary to cope with the recurring problem of stray dogs ... Mr. and Mrs. Harry Zolmer, who are leaving Drayton Valley, were feted by the Rotary Club at a farewell party Saturday evening.

APRIL 16

Leonard Fald of Drayton Valley was the winner of a riding lawn mower, major prize in the Town and Country Days held last weekend ... Evansburg residents honored Mr. and Mrs. Len Corkery prior to their departure from the community ... A new coal mining operation, to be known as the Highvale Mine, will be opened to supply the Sundance power plant.

APRIL 23

County Councillors, Town Councillors, and County and Town Fire Department representatives were present for the delivery of the new fire truck to Drayton Valley last Saturday ... The new Coin Electric Home Centre will open on April 29th ... Good prices were received at the 3rd Annual Bull Sale by West Alta Livestock Breeders last Saturday ... Linda Piskunowicz of the Tomahawk 4-H Beef Club won first place in the 4-H Public Speaking Finals at Duffield April 12th ... A Canadian Legion District Rally was held at Warburg last Sunday.

APRIL 30

Canadian Legion District 2 rally was held in Drayton Valley on Sunday afternoon ... Drayton Valley Rotary Club observed its 14th anniversary

# THE YEAR IN RETROSPECT

at a gathering Saturday evening ... District O.O.R.P. lodges attended a meeting in Drayton Valley Saturday.

MAY 7

Mrs. Stella Lorenz of Evansburg was re-elected District Commander for District 2A of the Ladies' Auxiliary at a recent rally in Wildwood ... Work is going ahead on the new rodeo grounds being constructed in West Valley Park ... Balloons released by St. Anthony's students have been recovered at Onoway and Clandonald ... Funeral services were held May 8 for Mrs. Amie Leona Peck of Mayerthorpe.

MAY 14

Seven hundred and twenty-five marchers who took part in the second annual miles for millions march Saturday raised a pledge total of \$7,437.45 ... At its last regular meeting, Town Council decided against joining the Parkland Regional Recreation Council ... Ben Shirley, 81, who has lived in the area since 1914 was honored by old time residents prior to his departure for the U.S. ... A large barn and a number of smaller buildings were lost in a fire on the Kenneth MacKenzie farm Monday night.

MAY 21

Annual inspection of Drayton Valley Air Cadets was held Thursday evening ... Construction started last week on the new Matador Motel on 50th Avenue ... Awards to players were presented at the Rebels Hockey Club wind-up banquet Friday.

MAY 28

Town Council has passed the necessary bylaw authorizing a three mill increase to bring the millrate to 78 ... Mr. Howard Jevne has purchased Al's Sports Shop from Mr. Al Walton ... A black bear cub blacked out part of the district and lost his life climbing a power pole south of Drayton Valley Friday.

JUNE 4

Rod Colbert won top prize in the annual Pembina Oilmen's golf tournament last weekend ... Mrs. Tom Mitchell, who retired recently after 22 years of teaching, was honored recently at Evansburg ... Kim Yurchak caught a fifteen pound jackfish in the Pembina River Sunday.

JUNE 11

Ken Gillis came out of the final match with Howard Ganske as winner of the Championship Flight in the annual Drayton Valley open golf tournament last weekend ... Annual awards night was held at St. Anthony's Wednesday ... Work has started on grass greens on three holes at the golf course ... Plans are underway for several district Fish and Game Associations to take part in a clean-up at the Brazeau Dam.

JUNE 18

The George Dean home at Easyford was heavily damaged by fire Sunday ... A heavy frost on the evening of June 11th blackened many gardens and crops throughout the area ... Farmer's Day was observed locally with a picnic at the Easyford provincial park and supper in the Elks Hall in the evening ... Ice-making is underway at the Centennial Civic Centre in preparation for the summer figure skating school.

JUNE 25

A severe water shortage has caused Town Council to impose restrictions on use by residents ... Ritchie Woods is the new president of the Drayton Valley Lions Club following last week's election ... Four girls, Cindy Vowk, Sandra Guze, Terry Cable and Laura Leake, are contesting the Evergreen Rodeo Queen event.

JULY 2

A team of archaeologists are working on the site of an ancient Indian camp in the Tomahawk area ... Pedal pusher prizes and trophies were awarded last week as a wind-up for the annual classes ... Four offices of the Parkland Youth Employment Service opened on July 1st.

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## GREETINGS

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# School Committee Regular Meeting

Meeting of the School Committee of the County of Parkland No. 31 continued in the County Office on Thursday, December 4th.

Present were Messrs. R. A. Bailey, George Mann, L. N. Miller, Peter Bakker, R. Lent, Ivan Vowk, R. Zander, Don Gylander, Mrs. Elizabeth Howery, Mrs. A. C. Kritzinger, School Committee members, also Superintendent of Schools Mr. Henry Toews, Assistant Superintendent Mr. W. G. Wilson, and Assistant Secretary-Treasurer A. W. Boychuk.

Mr. Ed Glubish came to see the School Committee about the sale of his 30 passenger school bus. The agreement has been made that the County purchase this bus for \$2,600. He has now discovered that the steering mechanism requires a complete overhaul which may cost over \$100. He wanted to know if he was expected to pay for this expense.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Ed Glubish be held responsible for the payment of the repairs on the steering mechanism and exhaust system on the 30 passenger school bus.

It was moved and carried that, at the next meeting the School Committee discuss the feasibility of engaging a full time school bus supervisor.

It was moved and carried that the appointment of Mrs. Mable Hawkins as library-custodian of the Spruce Grove School be approved.

The principal of the Memorial High School in Stony Plain has requested the services of 2 full time secretaries. Presently he has 1½. With Mr. Martin Goerzen acting as Industrial Arts Co-ordinator he requires a certain amount of extra service.

It was moved and carried that due to the demand from the Industrial Arts Co-ordinator in the Memorial High School in Stony Plain, Mrs. Irene Mayer be employed as secretary on a full time basis.

It was moved and carried that the School Committee visit the Lacombe Regional Library to observe their operation.

It was moved and carried that Mr. W. G. Wilson be authorized to spend approximately \$20,000 on permanent equipment as outlined in his report.

The Committee recommended that Harry L. Hennig be allowed to keep his 1962 - 54 passenger school bus and that he be awarded the new route to be served by the 30 passenger school bus. However the committee further recommends that H. L. Hennig be warned that his buses must be kept in top condition at all times and that inspection notices must be immediately

complied with.

It was moved and carried that the report and recommendation of the committee be accepted and that H. L. Hennig be allowed to keep the 1962 - 54 passenger school bus and that he be awarded the new route to be serviced by the 30 passenger school bus.

It was moved and carried that a letter be written to Mrs. Lenora M. Welk requesting that she refrain from bringing her pre-school age children to school when carrying out her duties as caretaker.

It was moved and carried that subscriptions to the A. S. T. A. magazine be obtained for all School Committee Members, Superintendent, Assistant Superintendent, Guidance Counsellor, Secretary-Treasurer and Assistant Secretary-Treasurer.

It was moved and carried

that John Hillyer's application for the position of Maintenance Man be filed and that he be advised that the position has already been filled.

It was moved and carried that Mr. Emil Deering's

school bus be purchased and advertised for sale and that he be requested to bring this bus to the County shop for inspection and appraisal.

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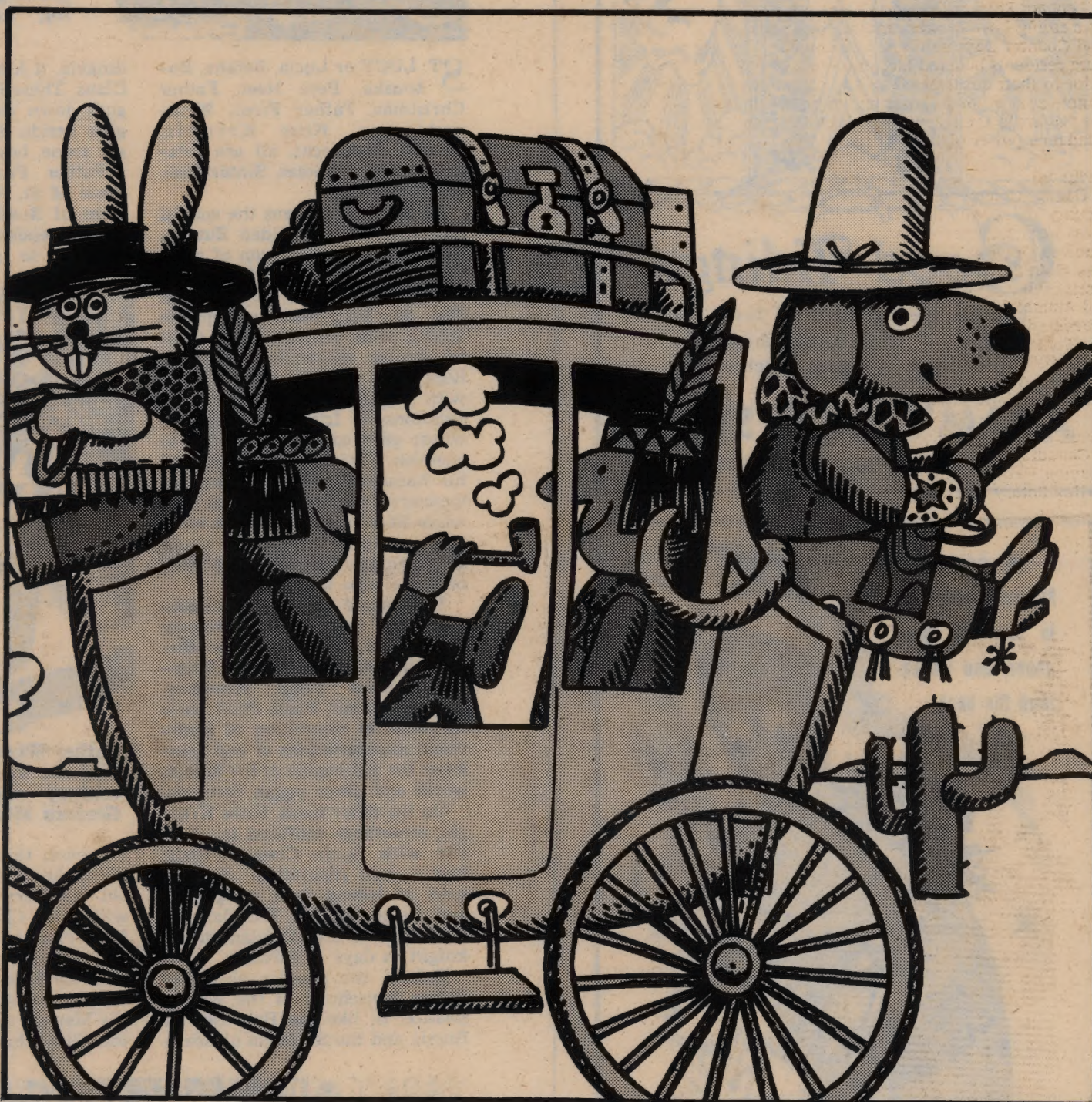
*The Best to You at Christmas*

May you and your family enjoy a happy holiday. We thank you warmly.

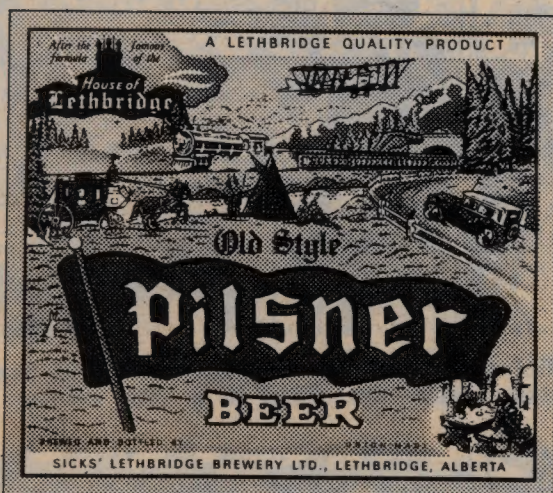
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## Christmas Message

Dear People:

Most of us picture the Christmas season as one of lightly falling snow with "Silent Night" softly playing in the background. In reality, however, the days are hectic as we frantically move about shopping, going to Christmas parties or doing our Christmas baking.

Rather than wait for December 25th to honor Him, let Christ accompany you in all your rushing moments and as your consciously give yourself to others this while, you can also experience the joy God has in giving His Son to you during this season.

May your Christmas be holy and happy and filled with peace and joy.

Shalom,  
Fr. Lynch.



## Good Tidings

Let the eternal light of love, the symbol of His birth, shine into every heart, bringing peace to all.

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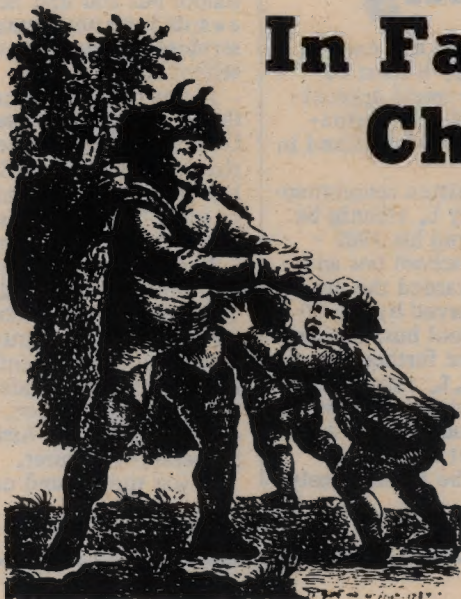
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## In Father Christmas' Family

Many are close to Santa relatively



Knecht Rupprecht represented as horned creature in old European engraving of him frightening "naughty" children.

ST. LUCY or Lucia, Befana, Babouska, Pere Noel, Father Christmas, Father Frost, Weihnachtsmann, Kriss Kringle, Knecht Rupprecht, all are relatives to St. Nicholas, Sinterklaas, or Klausmann.

As St. Nicholas was the special patron of boys in olden Europe, St. Lucy was the patron of girls. The former made traditional rounds on Dec. 6; St. Lucy on Dec. 30. Lucy had an opposite among some peoples, a she-devil of similar character to Knecht Rupprecht. Knecht made rounds with switch in hand before gift occasions, to frighten youngsters whose good conduct was open to question. He invariably concluded his harangue concerning misdeemeanors with an intimation that while St. Nicholas would be merciful this time, there surely would be birchings the following year of those who misbehaved.

The female bearer of a threatening rod was known variously as Berchtel, Buszeberg, or Budefrau. She and Knecht Rupprecht, Hans Tripp, Krampus, Butz, Klaubauf, Black Peter were survivals in reputation of traditional manifestations of evil spirits at the Saturnalia of the Roman world and other pagan festivals.

On the other hand, Kriss Kringle, sometimes confused in identity with Santa Claus himself, had a good reputation. He figured in legend as a companion and helper of St. Nicholas, an equivalent of the attendant of the knight in days of chivalry.

Befana, the popular visitor to Italian households at the Winter solstice, is, like the Babouska of Russia and the St. Lucia of Scan-

dinavia, a kind of woman Santa Claus. There is belief that Befana goes down chimneys and leaves gifts beside the Creche, or Manger scene, boys and girls set up.

Father Frost has taken the place of St. Nicholas, the patron saint of Russians, in an expedient concession of the Communist regimes to popular sentiment.



Father Winter and Christmas Man are synonymous in 19th century engravings of the German Moritz von Schwind.

However, this is consonant with the melding of Father Winter, of old Northern European pagans, with The Christmas Man. The former has been identified in origin with one of the Three Kings, or Wise Men, who bore gifts of myrrh, frankincense and gold to the Manger on the 12th day after the First Christmas.



La Befana, stockings over one arm, and dangling gifts with another, makes her stand in a 19th century European shop.



# CHRISTMAS Message

CHRISTMAS 1969 -- A FEW THOUGHTS  
BY REV. ZEKE MARTIN

This year, as in years past, Christmas for many people, will be merely a holiday vaguely associated with the birth of Christ. There will be feasting and revelry, and this is a world where desperate multitudes are hungry and cold and indeed frightened. There will be an exchange of gifts, in many cases between people who already have just about everything that anyone could wish, unless it be happiness and peace. There will be toys, at least for privileged children - most of them destined to be forgotten a few days after Christmas. But, now everyone will celebrate Christmas merely as a holiday. Millions will sing "O Come let us adore HIM" Many will say from their hearts: "O Holy Child of Bethlehem, Descend to us we pray, Cast out our sin and enter in, Be born in us today". Yes, and no inconsiderable number will be thinking of things to do in the name of Christ - like sending or giving a little money to those in desperate need or sending a Christmas card that sets forth the vision of a world in which there shall be "Justice and right dealings between peoples of all races" with a prayer that mankind might be guided in making a world in which children may grow up unafraid.

The world of today is not prepared to follow the teachings of Jesus. But growing numbers of people are coming to believe that we shall have to follow his teachings if we are to live and not perish by atomic and bacteriological warfare. Even professional soldiers are coming to recognize the truth that "They who take the sword will perish by the sword" and are saying that our one hope of security is in political measures de-

signed to remove fear and to promote mutual confidence and trust among nations. Even people not strongly inclined to the well-being of others are coming to recognize that the law "thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself" is binding on all men and nations. Many today are beginning to suspect that there is, after all, no little wisdom in the saying, "love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you".

Now of course we do not know what the future holds for mankind upon the earth. But if it is true that in the birth of the babe of Bethlehem, the Eternal God entered into human life, then something beyond man, a super-human purpose and power is now at work in the world, despite atrocities here and there, and furthermore we may be entirely sure that God's purpose of good is ultimately beyond defeat.

## Poinsettia Shows Season's Colors

Showing the colors of Christmas, red and green, the tropical poinsettia adorns many homes at the holiday season. Though it is now a favorite holiday houseplant, the poinsettia is a relative newcomer to the customs of Christmas.

It was discovered by, and later named for, Joel R. Poinsett. When he was serving as U.S. minister to Mexico in 1828, Dr. Poinsett sent a cutting of the plant to a friend.

Growers became interested, but it was not until 1906 that the poinsettia was marketed.

## School Committee Regular Meeting

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### DRAYTON VALLEY SCHOOL SITE OPTION

The following letter was received from the County solicitors regarding the option on the school site in the Town of Drayton Valley:

"Re: Assignment of Option to Purchase from the Town of Drayton Valley.

Would you please advise us whether or not it appears that this matter will be proceeding. We realize that it could well take a few months before subdivision arrangements can be finalized, and wonder if you would like us to return to you your cheque in the sum of \$2,571.60 which we are still holding on our file."

It was moved and carried that the solicitors be advised to hold the cheque pending transfer of option and that a copy of the correspondence be mailed to the Town of Drayton Valley.

A.W. Boychuk, Assistant Secretary-Treasurer, presented a report on his trip to the

Regional Conference on PPBES held in San Francisco on Saturday, November 22nd, 1969.

It was moved and carried that A.W. Boychuk's report on his trip to San Francisco Conference be accepted.

### ENTWISTLE & SEBA SCHOOL REPORTS

Mr. George Mann submitted the following report on the Entwistle and Seba Beach Schools: - Entwistle School needs: 1 incinerator; 6 classrooms need painting and casing are badly scuffed; 2 washrooms in the Elementary School need painting; Hot water heater is in bad shape, will not supply, I would say possibly corroded; 3 Gym lights need replacing, the old ones are out; the door at the North entrance jams at times and will not lock. I think it needs new hinges; 1 exit door in the Gym does not close properly at times, mostly in cold weather; They need pencil sharpeners; Lockers are not completed and finished; Blinds in room 3 are needed; Tile is lifting in bathroom

doorway; Janitors complain that a lot of paint is spilled on the floor in the Art Room, maybe a mat would be the answer; Television antenna should be re-set, it is in a bad location; When some plug-ins are used in front room north at the entrance to the school, circuit breakers are blown; and Acoustics in the Gym are bad.

Entwistle School - Play-ground equipment is nil.

Seba Beach School - Play-ground equipment is nil.

It was moved and carried that Mr. George Mann's report on the Entwistle and Seba Beach Schools be accepted and that it be referred to Mr. E.W. Hillyer for attention.

## Using Greens

Use of greens and garlands to decorate for a festive season goes back a thousand years before the birth of Christ. The custom began with the ancient Egyptians.

Many of the traditions of pagan festivals were later merged with the celebration of Christmas, and evergreens, because they stay green throughout the year, came to be regarded as the Christmas symbol of eternal life.



O, Holy Night, when all the world was still.  
There, in the distance, shone a mighty star  
with a luster that burns brightly now in the  
hearts of all men of good will. May thoughts of  
that first Christmas bring peace to all.

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## A Look at The Western Review Files

JULY 9

Mr. R. P. McDonald has been named Principal of St. Anthony's School to replace Mr. T. A. Tetreau, who has resigned to take a position with an Edmonton investment firm ... Heavy rains of recent days have raised the Saskatchewan River far above normal and marooned crushing equipment on a gravel bar upstream from the bridge ... Miss Marilyn Rasmussen of the Drayton Valley 4-H Beef Club won the Grand Championship of the Combined Achievement Day last Friday ... Mrs. Esther Davidson has been named "clerk of the month" for June ... Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fewster of Berrymoor were honored on their 50th anniversary June 27th.

JULY 16

Mr. John Getzinger has announced the sale of Getzinger Super Market to Mr. and Mrs. Peter Van Der Welde ... Drayton Valley Air Cadets left Sunday for summer camp at C.F.B. Penhold ... Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bright, on a trip to England this summer, will take a colored slide program of Canadianna to be shown to the Rotary Club of Kenton - Kingsbury.

JULY 23

While the world watched Sunday, July 20th, American astronauts Neil Armstrong and Edwin Aldrin made their historic walk on the surface of the moon ... Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, on a helicopter tour of the Alberta oil industry, visited Mobil Oil's Westbank water injection plant Friday afternoon ... Mr. Don Bester has been appointed Area Superintendent at Drayton Valley for Mobil Canada.

JULY 30

Voters in the Edson-Stony Regional High School District, in a plebiscite Thursday, rejected the proposed new high school at Evansburg by a margin of 47 votes ... Mr. Don Vanstone of Athabasca has been appointed Calgary Power District Manager, to replace Mr. Gordon Hay, who has been transferred to Camrose ... The Edward Galpin family of Entwistle was among twenty-four Alberta farm families honored by the Edmonton Exhibition Association for their contribution to agriculture.

# THE YEAR IN RETROSPECT

AUGUST 6

Tim Karach of Lodgepole landed a six pound Dolly Varden at the Brazeau Dam pumphouse ... Mrs. Yvonne Yurchak has been named "clerk of the month" for July ... Fire on August 2nd caused considerable damage to farm machinery on the Ed Schadeck farm east of Rocky Rapids.

AUGUST 13

Hon. F. C. Colborne, Minister of Municipal Affairs, was a Drayton Valley visitor last week ... Thieves got away with \$800 worth of merchandise in a break-in at Imperial Lumber over the long weekend ... Sixteen year old Dennis Haight of Berrymoor has been named one of the Alberta Junior Citizens of 1969.

AUGUST 20

The first annual Evergreen Rodeo held last weekend proved to be a highly successful two-day show ... Miss Laura Leake, sponsored by the Drayton Valley Rotary Club, was crowned Rodeo Queen ... Twenty-two swimmers from the Neptune Club of Drayton Valley have qualified for the Provincial Finals ... Mrs. G. M. Rathje of Evansburg, whose home was blown apart August 5th, remains in fair condition in an Edmonton hospital.

AUGUST 27

The Annual Womens' Institute Flower Show held last Saturday again proved an enjoyable event ... The summer skating school ended re-

cently with official tests and the hockey school under direction of Clare Drake, is now in full swing ... The annual Agricultural Fair was held last week at Wildwood ... A former Burtonsville resident, Andrew Walker of Quesnel, B.C., passed away August 12th.

SEPTEMBER 3

The Centennial Arena was closed this week to reopen in late October ... Funeral services for Mrs. Mary Foster of Buck Creek, were held August 20th ... Bonnie Reich of Tomahawk has been awarded a \$600 Alberta Hotel Association scholarship ... Value of Drayton Valley building permits have reached \$904,686 this year.

SEPTEMBER 10

A district court judge in Edmonton has ruled void the July 24th regional high school plebiscite ... Mayor Dr. Henry Shimbashi has announced that he will not seek re-election ... Mrs. L. J. (Dee) Goubault has been named "clerk of the month" for August ... A granary was demolished by a tornado that swept through the Magnolia district last week ... Graduation exercises were held at the Evansburg High School September 6th.

SEPTEMBER 17

Town Council at its last meeting refused a permit for renovations to the Post Office ... Neptune swimmers from Drayton Valley placed second in the Provincial Finals August 31st ... Graduation exercises were held at Frank Maddock High School Saturday ... Mr. and Mrs. Murray Roberts of Wabamun celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary ... The School Buildings Board of the Department of Education has recommended an addition to the Frank Maddock High School, rather than a new school here.

SEPTEMBER 24

Donald MacKenzie Men's Wear will open a new store this week next door to the Treasury Branch and Marshall-Wells are also in the process of moving to a new location in the former Drayton Valley Foodland ... New automatic pinsetters are now being installed at the Twilight Bowl ... Several candidates have filed nomination papers for the October 15th town election.

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## CHRISTMAS Blessings

As we relive the miracle of that first Christmas, we send our sincerest greetings to everyone. For your kind patronage, our thanks.

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DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

# MERRY CHRISTMAS



Let us add our voices to those of the young carolers here, as we wish each and every one of you the very best of the Christmas season — all the merriment it holds. And may we extend grateful thanks.

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## SUB-MITS FROM THE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Dear Santa,

I know you are deluged at this time of the year by requests from everyone. However, perhaps you will find a few of these around for the teachers of our school. By the way, we have tried to be good this year.

Mrs. Sware wishes she knew what to wish for.

Mrs. Floden, a nice holiday

Mrs. Martin, The establishment of peace, through the brotherhood of man.

Mrs. B. Harrison wishes for a free trip back to the North Pole with Santa, (or preferably to Hawaii, if he's going that way!).

Mrs. Lane, a holiday (anywhere).

Mrs. Hurley, understanding to cope with the generation gap.

Mrs. D. Baker, an enlarged classroom with a sink.

Mrs. Phillips has written

her request to Santa and wouldn't reveal it.

Mrs. Mayan, a happy Christmas.

Mrs. Colbert, a happy heart and willing hands to do those things which must be done.

Mrs. D. Harrison, some new ideas.

Mrs. Brown, a 48 hour day.

Mrs. Hoyland, Lord, give me another pair of hands, wreathed with time, that I may accomplish the many things I'd like to do.

Miss Madsen, more patience. (patients?).

Miss Hammerlindl, a realization by people that Christmas is Christ's birthday.

Mrs. Grieb, a teacher's bathroom at the north end.

Mr. R.J. Elliott, a long quiet day.

Mrs. Steeves and Mrs. Nordby, an intercom and buzzer for our portables.

Mrs. Trow, a class of 12 - 15 children.

Mr. A. Baker, an end to Christmas excitement.

Mrs. Dean, a ditto machine that doesn't fight back.

Mrs. Koebernack, just make

sure there are no radar traps between Drayton Valley and Edmonton on Monday nights.

Mr. P.J. Kowalchuk, more radar traps to catch speeders on Monday nights.

Sharon Caine, a car, plus find me a job for the afternoon.

Mrs. McDonald, a school 75% as modern and well-equipped as Stony Plain's.

Mrs. Oakes, a white Christmas. (We don't have any in England).

Mrs. Kaytal, I would not want to go to the moon yet, but please take me to my mom and dad.

Mrs. Boles, patience and understanding.

Will you try to fill the children's requests please. They have also tried to be good. And from all the staff will you wish a Happy Christmas and all the best in the New Year to their parents.

Thank you Santa, and a Merry Christmas to you.

Sincerely,  
Olga Brown.

DRIVE SAFELY  
ENJOY THE HOLIDAY

## BURTONSVILLE NEWS

Eldon Greanya has been hauling hay for the Tattersall boys.

Bernice Osbak spent three days in Edmonton last week. She visited her sister Norma Petriko and family.

Albert Osbak was in Edmonton for his check up by a doctor and received a good report.

We are pleased to learn by last report that Ken MacDougall is getting along nicely after his operation December 8th.

The Christmas program is planned for December 19th. As well as the Burtonsville group, the Mewassin group and the Parkdale group of Edmonton will be taking part.

On Tuesday evening Rev. Kennedy, Eldon Greanya and David Tattersall decorated the church while the women of this church packed the candy bags for the Sunday School children.

Cecil Homme visited his brother Lewis at Stony Plain on Tuesday and the two boys worked on Cecil's car.

The temperature here in the valley went to 4 above zero Wednesday morning, quite a change from the higher temperatures of the past month.

### For Greetings

Christmas continues as it begins, with "Merry Christmas, one and all." And as long as the spirit of this cheerful greeting prevails, Christmas never really ends.

Yes, Christmas is for greetings, to family, friends and neighbors. "Merry Christmas, one and all," we say, and the spirit of Christmas lives forever in the words.

In just this spirit, today's edition of this newspaper is one big Christmas card, filled with greetings from the business firms of the community, who take the opportunity to say, "Merry Christmas, one and all," with special thanks to their patrons and friends.

# DRAYTON VALLEY LIONS CLUB

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**Best Wishes of the Festive Season**



## A Look at The Western Review Files

### OCTOBER 1

Construction is presently going ahead on a new service station, a drug store and a 20-suite apartment building in Drayton Valley ... Mr. J.C. Swinnerton retired September 23rd after 21 years as postmaster at Entwistle ... Hunters were out in large numbers Saturday for the opening of Big Game Zone 5 ... Sandra Guze has been selected to represent Drayton Valley Rotary Club in a visit to Lethbridge.

### OCTOBER 8

Mrs. Eileen Henry was the winner of the \$500 prize at last week's Lions Club Bingo ... The possibility of organizing a Jaycees branch here is being explored ... Junior High students have adopted a five-year old Vietnamese girl ... A snowmobile club has been organized in Drayton Valley.

### OCTOBER 15

Local merchants plan a "Drayton Daze" shopper's weekend this week ... Zane Bruner of Evansburg placed 2nd in the 4-H Provincial Junior Seed Plot Competition ... Moon Lake 4-H Beef Club trophies were presented at a wind-up banquet in the hall Friday ... Mrs. Rena Brown has been named "clerk of the month" for September ... Fifty horses were entered in the Evansburg Horse Show last week ... Immanuel Lutheran Church in Tomahawk will observe its 30th anniversary October 19th.

### OCTOBER 20

Elected in last Wednesday's election were Mayor Howard W. Pickup, Councillors R.B. Smith and R. Huber, County School Representative Jack Tyler, and A. Home, Separate School Trustee. H. Deby was elected by acclamation to the Hospital Board ... Trophies were presented Saturday evening at the Lindale 4-H Swine Club banquet ... A draw for a large number of prizes was a highlight of the "Drayton Daze" weekend.

### OCTOBER 29

Dr. and Mrs. H. Maclure were honored at a farewell party in the Elks Hall Monday evening ... In a farm fire at Sanguo Mr. and Mrs. Leo Burk lost their home and all possessions ... Annual banquet and trophy presentation of the Toma-

## THE YEAR IN RETROSPECT

hawk 4-H Beef Club took place last Friday ... The Lariat Gymkhana Club wound-up the season with a banquet and trophy presentation Friday evening ... Emmaus Lutheran Church will observe its 10th anniversary November 2nd ... Drayton Valley 4-H Beef Club held its annual banquet and awards night Thursday.

### NOVEMBER 5

Fourth annual awards night was held at the Drayton Valley Junior High School Wednesday ... Lt. Gov. Grant MacEwan unveiled a new cenotaph at Breton Saturday ... Annual awards night for Entwistle Clothing Club, Pembina Field Crops Club and Lobstick 4-H Beef Club was held in the Entwistle Hall Friday ... Tom Collins of Edmonton was the winner of \$1,000 in the Harvest Windfall held by St. Elizabeth Parish Club in Evansburg.

### NOVEMBER 12

Mr. Justice Dechene in the Supreme Court of Alberta in Edmonton October 31st ordered the issuance of a building permit to Pembina Projects Ltd. for renovations to the Drayton Valley Post Office ... Fourteen new members were inducted into the Drayton Valley Lions Club Tuesday evening ... Annual meeting of the Pembina Scout District was held Wednesday at Mayerthorpe ... The \$8 million spillway at Brazeau Dam was tested by Calgary Power last week.

### NOVEMBER 19

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas MacDougall were honored at a gathering in the Keepphills Hall on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary ... Town Council, sitting as a committee of the whole for Protection to Persons and Property for two sessions last week, investigated allegations against the Police Department ... Mr. John Hansen, formerly of Sexsmith, took over as manager of the Royal Bank here November 12th. Mr. Frank Neil has been transferred to Stettler ... Mrs. Mildred Krauter has been named "clerk of the month" for October.

### NOVEMBER 26

Veteran curler Billy Rose was honored at a banquet in the Cardium Room Saturday and presented with a life membership in the Drayton Valley Curling Club ... Ernest Smith of Duffield is among 14 Alberta 4-H members attending the National 4-H Conference in Ottawa ... Grand opening of the new Valley Drug Store was held recently ... Drayton Valley Rebels started the new hockey season with two wins in their first three games.

### DECEMBER 3

Les Miller was named Reeve of the County of Parkland at the organizational meeting November 24th ... Mr. and Mrs. Jay Town were honored at Moon Lake on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary ... Funeral services were held December 5th for Mrs. Elizabeth Starling ... Frank Novosel scored six goals and assisted on three when the Rebels defeated Stettler 9-6 Saturday.

### DECEMBER 10

Voters in Parkland County and Edson School Division rejected the Edson-Stony Regional Board's proposal to build a \$1,350,000 high school at Evansburg by a margin of 161 votes in last Thursday's plebiscite ... Changes proposed by the Electoral Boundaries Commission will create a new provincial constituency of Pigeon Lake of which Drayton Valley will be a part ... F.M.H.S. Warriors defeat Concordia College 63-56 in Edmonton last week ... District Governor R.H. McKinney of Stettler visited the local club last week ... The Cardium Theatre was packed with youngsters last Saturday for free shows sponsored by the Retail Merchants Assoc.



*We send best wishes for happiness and good health in this holiday season, as well as our grateful thanks to all.*

**FOUNTAIN TIRE LTD.**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



### LIBRARY NOTES

Please note that the library will be closed on Boxing Day, December 26th.

Newly arrived books include:

"The Prison" by Simeson. This is translated from French and tells the story of a man whose wife commits murder. The book is a masterly dissection of the corpse of a marriage. Where was the fatal flaw? Especially for folks interested in psychology.

In "Spacepaw" by Gordon Dickson, Bill Waltham visits the planet of Dilbia where the inhabitants are gorillalike but reasonably gentle (at times). For science fiction fans.


"Fair Dinkum" is the Australian way of saying "The Real McCoy". The book contains the light hearted reminiscences of an ex-Aussie after 40 years of globe-trotting reporting for the Montreal Star.



## Christmas Cheer

We hope lots of good cheer will be coming your way during the holiday season ... and may we say "thank you" for your patronage

**J. C. MACHINE**  
Jack and Liz Coppens  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

*The smiles of young carolers reflect the warmth of this joyous holiday season. Permit us to wish you and yours a very Merry Christmas, and to extend our sincerest appreciation for being wonderful customers! Thank you!!*

Management and Staff

**MARSHALL-WELLS STORE**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA





Drayton Valley Brownies who prepared Christmas gifts for children in hospital are shown here visiting the hospital shortly before Christmas.

## GAINFORD NEWS

The Gainford Elks and Royal Purple bingo was held Wednesday, December 10th at the hall with a very good crowd attending. The next bingo will be held on Wednesday, January 14th and jackpot will be \$150.

The first Gainford Wolf Cub Pack held its regular meeting Tuesday, December 9th at the hall. The meeting came to a close early and the boys were treated to hot dogs, hot chocolate and a few treats. This was to be the boys Christmas party and the boys were to have a ski doo party, but it was a bit chilly that evening so they postponed it until a later date.

Emil Miller was home for the weekend.

The Gainford Community Society held a very successful bazaar and tea and bake sale Saturday, December 13th. Later that same evening the hall was packed for the turkey bingo. The door prize was won by Marlene Ferguson of Evansburg and the food hamp-

er was won by E. L. Boida of Edmonton. A big thank you to everyone who donated, to the ladies who worked, to the young girls that served lunch and to the gentlemen who called the numbers at the bingo.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Wildeman of Blue River, B.C. are visiting friends and relatives in the area during the Christmas holidays.

Jimmy Murray is employed south of Lodgepole.

Mrs. Ursel attended the wedding of her niece Sharon Hoffman in Stony Plain Saturday, December 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lenz, Mr. and Mrs. Colin Thorburn, Mr. and Mrs. Boris Waloschuk and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kereluk attended a house warming party for Herb and Jean Gilbert of Magnolia, Friday, December 12th.

Bob, Nola and family of St. Albert visited and enjoyed a turkey dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. McLachlin Sunday, December 14th.

A speedy recovery to Leo Pilkens who is home after a lengthy stay in hospital.

Glen and Audrey Gilchrist of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. Bud Lenz Sunday, December 14th.

Bud and Eileen Lenz, Dick and Eileen Lenz and family and Wayne Lenz helped Mrs. Mildred Lenz move from Stony Plain to Edmonton Sunday, December 14th.

Don Elliot of Edmonton visited Mrs. Ursel Saturday, December 13th.

Mrs. Nora Murray and Dougie visited Mrs. Richard Johnson in Wabamun Sunday, December 14th.

### For Sharing

Christmas is for sharing. Thus giving to the less fortunate is a traditional part of the Christmas spirit.

Joy grows through sharing, says the holiday message, and sharing is most blessed when it extends not only to those near and dear but to those known only through their need.

## Council Studies Truck Parking

At the Town Council meeting of December 11th a petition was received from residents of Pembina Parkway Trailer Court requesting the prohibition of heavy truck parking on 50th Street adjacent to the trailer court.

Mrs. Girard presented the petition and spoke to the Council. She noted that residents are disturbed by trucks running overnight and other noises accompanying the parking of the vehicles right beside trailers on the street side of the court.

Council members expressed support for the request presented and also noted that a hazard existed during daylight hours by trucks obscuring vision at the busy junction of 50th Street and 52nd Avenue.

Council discussed various alternatives for parking trucks that are moving through town and wish to stop for meals or overnight. The area behind the curling rink was discussed but it was felt that many big trucks may not be able to manoeuvre into the space.

Council advised Mrs. Girard that some steps will be taken to remedy the problem. The Council is concerned that a convenient location be found that will not discourage truckers from using Drayton Valley facilities and at the same time remove the problem adjacent to the trailer court.

### COUNCIL BRIEFS

The necessary by-laws authorizing the sale of lots to John Zelenak, Honesto Marcos and C.D. Wilson were read.

On the recommendation of

### Third Section

## THE WESTERN REVIEW

Drayton Valley, Alberta  
Wed., Dec. 24, 1969

the Municipal Inspector, Bylaw No. 477 authorizing the sheltering, maintenance and operation of the County of Parkland fire truck in the Drayton Valley Fire Hall was given three readings.

Council agreed that it had no objection to the piping of Christmas music in the downtown area by the Drayton Valley Lions Club.

Council authorized the giving of a turkey to each employee on the town staff as a Christmas gift.

Council approved the appointment of Mrs. Elspeth Hagman as a member of the Drayton Valley Recreation Board.

### Season's Greetings

To our many friends and acquaintances in Drayton Valley and district we send Seasons Greetings with a donation to Oxfam of Canada.

Bert and Marion Palmer

**Warm Wishes**

Christmas is a winter wonderland, covered by a blanket of pure white snow. We send you our sentiment during this brisk season through our warmest wishes and a hearty Merry Christmas.

**Dr. H. Shimbashi and Dr. B. Longley and Staff**

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

**Merry Christmas**

Thanks for your generous support and consideration.  
Merry Christmas!

Management and Staff  
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**A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS**

May the splendor of that special Star reflect in our hearts to bring joy anew.

Management and Staff  
**Meraw & McGee Well Servicing Ltd.**

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA





# Greetings

Thanks for your most generous good will. To you and yours we wish a Merry Christmas.

**Dial Oilfield Services Ltd.**  
Management and Staff  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



To wish you  
**Peace,  
Joy**

To each and every one of our good friends and patrons, we extend, with sincere appreciation, warm wishes for a most memorable holiday.

**Macleod's Family Shopping Centre**  
Jack Pickett and Staff  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

## Entwistle Church Wedding Setting

Dorothea Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holosney of Gainford and Wilfred Albert Lalonde of Evansburg were united in marriage at Entwistle Community Church Saturday, December 6th at 4 p.m. Rev. A. Koehn officiating.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was radiant in a sunshine yellow fall suit and corsage of pink roses.

Bridesmaid Florence Holosney, sister of the bride, wore a pale pink and grey plaid fall dress and a corsage of orange - brown mums.

Best man was Mr. Lorne Anderson. The reception was held at the Bride's parent's home. A 2 tiered wedding cake decorated by the bride's mother was centered on the bride's table which was decorated with roses.

The happy couple will reside in Edmonton.

Out of town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. G. Roberts of Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. D. Drewes of Stony Plain; Mr. G. Holosney, Swan Hills; Mrs. A. Wolodko and Patricia of Seba Beach; Mr. and Mrs. W. Davies, Entwistle; Mr. and Mrs. G. Court, Evansburg; Mr. and Mrs. L. Riopel, Mr. and Mrs. F. Prutton, Mr. and Mrs. E. Gratrix, all of Edmonton; Also Mrs. C. Blanchard and Sheila of Edmonton.

## Lindale Club Plans Amateur Night

HEATHER ROBB  
Club Reporter

The regular meeting of the Lindale 4-H Swine Club was held on Thursday, December 11th.

This year's Christmas party will be held at the home of Tom Martin at 8:00 p.m. on Monday, December 29th.

Amateur Night will be held on February 21st. Anyone wishing to participate is asked to please contact any member of the Lindale 4-H Swine Club.

The club has decided to donate \$20 to help with the building on to of the hall.

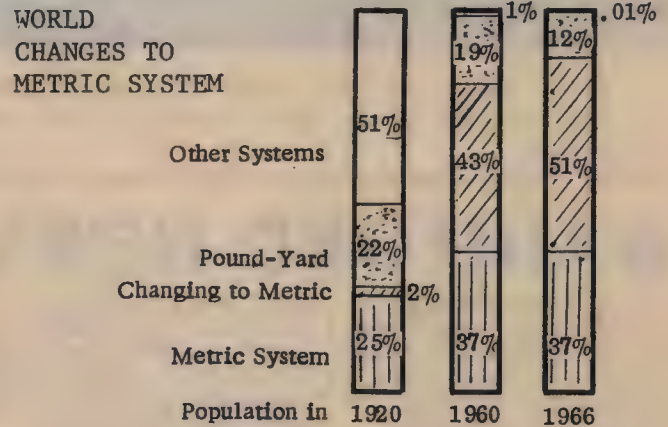
Roger Martin has resigned as treasurer and Leslie Horsman was elected to this position.

A new member, Myrnitta Cropley was welcomed to the club.

## A Change Coming For Canadians

A change to the Metric System is coming for Canadians, although the date is still unknown. Dr. L.E. Howlett of the National Research Council and president of the International Committee of Weights and Measures, has long advocated a change to the Metric System in Canada. He now feels the change must be made as soon as possible.

The following graph, reprinted from the Toronto Daily Star of September 1967, provides a clear illustration of how the rest of the world is switching to the Metric System.




Symbols of the holiday are as various as joy and peace. All mean the spirit of Christmas. Hearty thanks!

*We wish you a Merry Christmas!*

**E & O Sewing Basket**

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# GREETINGS

Allow us this moment, to send our sincere and hearty thanks and best wishes to all our friends and neighbors, whom we have served with pleasure and pride throughout the year. May the best of holidays be yours.

**L. B. MOTORS (1969) LTD.**

The Management and Staff PHONE 542-3022 Drayton Valley, Alberta



Ho-Ho-Ho and a Merry Christmas

As jolly Santa wends his way, bringing wonderful gifts for you, we'd like to add our appreciation. Happy holidays.

**McGREGOR SALVAGE**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALTA.



# TOMAHAWK NEWS

The Lutheran Ladies Aid held its Apron and Bake Sale on Saturday, December 6th at the Tomahawk Community Hall. After viewing and buying the beautiful and original articles plus the tasty baked goods, the ladies gathered together for fresh pie and coffee. A very pleasant afternoon was spent visiting friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Lennone Welk, caretaker of the Tomahawk Community Hall has resigned so anyone interested, be on the watch for tenders, which will be put out after the next

meeting of the club.

The district was saddened recently by the passing of Mrs. Marie Siebls on December 6th at the Royal Alex hospital. The funeral took place at the St. Thomas Catholic Church in Tomahawk on Friday, December 12th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dunbar and family left on Saturday, December 13th to spend Christmas with their folks in Guelph, Ontario.

Mrs. Ann Martin left by plane on Tuesday, December 16th to rejoin her family at Waterloo, Ontario. Mrs. Martin has been staying in Tomahawk for the past two weeks taking care of her mother while her dad was in hospital.

Mr. Dan Schadeck who has been undergoing surgery in the General Hospital in Edmonton returned home on Saturday, December 13th and is feeling much better.

Mr. Gene Shaw, who has been in the Glenrose Hospital for the past two months taking treatments, will be coming home to spend Christmas with his family. He plans to be here for three or four days, so all of his many friends, take note.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Siebls, who were on their way to Tomahawk Saturday evening December 13th had an unfortunate accident. While coming down the deep creek hill,

their car skidded on the ice, and the rear end slammed into the bridge. Luckily it wasn't the front of the car or they would have been hurled into the ravine below.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Welk of Tomahawk have purchased the home of the late Mr. John Kayko and will be moving in shortly. They have sold their present home to Mr. and Mrs. D. Gainer, who have been living in the parsonage. They will be taking residence there in January.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stewart from New Hazelton, B.C. and their children Dale and Tara are spending Christmas here with Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. Marie Schoepp.

On December 16th the Tomahawk fall recreation classes held an open house, in the gym of the Tomahawk school, with about 150 people attending. Each class put on a display of the work they had achieved during the course. The gym was beautifully decorated with original ideas of the members, from Christmas decorations, arts and crafts and leather work to the finest of petti point and embroidery.

Mrs. Eunice Pryor was the mistress of ceremonies. The evening opened with Christmas carols followed by the Keep Fit Class doing exercises to music. Mrs. Evelyn Lukaniuk gave a short talk on the value of this and introduced each member to the audience. The fashion show, under the capable instruction of Mrs. Gloria Jouan and Mrs. Evelyn Lukaniuk was a great success. The dresses were simply beautiful and the crowd loved every minute of it, especially the men.

Miss Terry Pezzot introduced her class and showed the arts and crafts original ideas, ranging from lamps, paper mache etc., to dyeing of materials.

Mrs. Marian Medd gave a very interesting talk on leather craft and showed some beautiful hand tooled work including purses, belts, etc.

Mrs. Marian Jouan showed the audience what wonderful Christmas decorations had been made from odds and ends. One example was Santa Claus and choir boys made from old Readers Digests.

Different members of the Tomahawk Community also brought along their hobbies for everyone to see. Mrs. Vicki Pezzot brought Petri Point pictures of Christ and the Virgin Mary. Mrs. Berryhill and Mrs. Jouan showed some liquid embroidery. Mr. Paul Piscunowicz showed his paintings and Mrs. A. Zaniewicz, gorgeous Ukrainian embroidery.

Mrs. Lene Holgersen, Head Director of the County of Parkland Recreational Classes

## C.A.H.L. Standings

	GP	W	L	T	Pts.
Camrose	10	8	2	0	16
Wetaskwin	10	5	3	2	12
Drayton Valley	11	5	5	1	11
Stettler	11	3	7	1	7
Fort Saskatchewan	9	3	6	0	6

PLAYER	GOALS	ASSISTS	POINTS
D. Hall (DV)	9	16	25
F. Novosel (DV)	14	8	22
R. McEachern (W)	10	8	18
N. Koberinski (S)	6	11	17
B. Schaeffer (W)	8	7	15
D. Davie (DV)	9	5	14
W. Ogilvie (S)	8	6	14
R. Hardt (W)	6	8	14
D. Blaney (S)	4	10	14
J. Greene (W)	2	12	14
K. Sterzer (W)	7	6	13
E. Dilworth (C)	5	8	13
G. Jeglum (C)	7	5	12
C. Thomlinson (FS)	7	5	12
R. Mallett (S)	6	5	11
R. Shillington (FS)	5	6	11
D. Kinnee (C)	9	1	10
D. Gilbert (S)	2	8	10
T. Frohler (C)	1	9	10

gave a short resume on the displays etc., and commented on the interest and enthusiasm of the Tomahawk people.

Miss Yvonne Juengling entertained the audience with two accordion solos.

A delicious lunch was supplied by members of each class and everyone there had nothing but praise to say of the evening.

Owing to the great success of these recreation classes,

many members are already signing for the new classes starting February 1st. So anyone who would like to join up may do so by letting the instructress know as soon as possible.

The Tomahawk Totems on December 15th continued their winning streak by defeating the L.B. Motors 7-3. They have played four games in all and emerged the winners in every game.

Christmas Greetings



We wish to extend Best Wishes for this Festive Season to our friends in Drayton Valley and District. Rather than sending cards we are making a donation to the Crippled Children's Fund.

Gunther and Ann Schmidt and Girls.



## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

"Thanks" to you who friendliness and courtesies have made pleasant the year just ending. May the good cheer and fellowship of this Holiday Time remain with you throughout each day of a prosperous and happy New Year.

### LLOYDS JEWELLERY

Arnold Lloyd and Corrinne Dix  
PHONE 542-3469 - DRAYTON VALLEY,

very Merry Christmas to everyone. May your holiday be replete with goodness in every way. And for your friendship, we extend grateful thanks.

**DRAYTON BAKERY**

From Management and Staff      DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



## 'Twas the Night Before Christmas...

Time for us to say thank you to our many friends, wishing them all "Merry Christmas"!



Management and Staff

## MAYHEW MOTORS LTD.

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA





## Merry Christmas

The best of hopes are extended to you for a warm, happy holiday with friends you hold near and dear. And it is time to thank you for your loyal patronage.

From the Management and Staff

**STEDMANS**

PHONE 542-3279 - DRAYTON VALLEY

# CHRISTMAS Message

History books being studied in the schools of the future will make the claim that the 'sixties' saw the beginning of the conquest of space. Christians everywhere will realize immediately upon reading that claim that it is in error. Like true Christian believers today, they will know that many years ago one Man mastered the art of space travel with relative ease. He came to earth as a Babe (Matthew 1:18-2:12) and left some thirty three years later with some very credible observers watching Him ascend into the Heavens. One of the most amazing things about this event was that He accomplished it without any of the paraphernalia that is such a vital part of today's space ventures. The promise from this great pioneer of space travel was that He would return again to earth in the same manner as His observers saw Him leave. (Acts 1:9-11)

The Mastermind behind

this tremendous venture was none other than God Himself. The precise planning of this historical event took place as a direct result of the love that poured from the heart of Almighty God, the Creator of the world. He saw all of humankind in a degenerate state; far below what His original plan for the human race had been. Instead of love, joy, happiness and peace dwelling in the hearts of His creation, He saw fear, frustration, anxiety and immorality. His great heart of love went out to fallen man. He decided to provide the world with someone who could correct all that man had in his life that was wrong. He would be the Saviour of man! Where could a human be found who was perfect enough himself to do this? How painfully obvious it was to God that there was none righteous, no, not one. The only one who was perfect was a member of the Godhead, like Himself. His

name was Jesus! He was God's only Son!

God's love was so great toward sinful man that He sent Jesus to be born in an inconspicuous stable in Bethlehem; to live, teach, and finally to give up His very life that man might be saved from this awful state. This same Jesus has God raised up from the dead and has placed Him at His right hand where He even now sits and intercedes to God on the behalf of any human who is truly repentant of his sinful life and longs for God's forgiveness.

Our annual celebration of Christmas is a reminder to every human that a Saviour has been provided for him. All man is required to do is personally invite Jesus to be the Lord of his life. Jesus has said "Behold, I stand by the door, and knock; if any man hear my voice, and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me." Will you open the door of your heart to Him now?

May God grant you a blessed and happy Christmas.

Pastor Roy Kemp,  
Drayton Valley  
Pentecostal Tabernacle



## CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

The sounds of Santa's sleigh-bells fill the air with music, and every home is kindled with the warmth of good cheer. May you and your family enjoy all the blessings of this happy holiday season. Heartfelt thanks for your trust and support. We greatly enjoy the privilege of serving you.

Management and Staff

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Every Day of the  
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# CHRISTMAS Message

We know, of course, how God arranged it; but what would the nature of Christmas have been had the philosophers been able to arrange it? A mathematical equation of some difficult statement about the First Cause or the Unmoved Mover? Or the theologians -- how would they have done it? Would they have left anything of human interest or appeal in it?

But God came in a form all could understand -- mother, soldier, artist, scientist,

child. To be human at all is to find the helpless infant appealing. That is why God spoke in this Christmas form and manner, to make it easier for us all to want to listen.

And listening, we hear the wonderful message of Christmas; -- God cares. He is concerned for you and for me in whatever we are doing, where ever we may be, what ever vicissitudes obtain. It was because he cared so much, that "for us men and for our salvation He came down from Hea-

ven". If this evokes any response, if we permit our hearts to be moved because of this in His direction, -- then we enter upon the way of safety, the beginning of our soul's salvation. What do we answer to God's speaking to us by His Son Jesus Christ? Upon our answer depends our soul's health. I hope it may be in some such words as these:

"Yea, Lord, we greet Thee, Born this happy morning, Jesus, to Thee be glory given; Word of the Father, Now in flesh appearing: O, come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord."

Tr. from the Latin, F. Oakeley and others.

Rev. G. E. Ingram,  
All Saints' Church.

and suits. The high style garments or accessories of this year may be past next fall.

Childrens parkas, boots, sweaters and trousers are good safe buys provided you can predict next years size. Styles of childrens' clothes usually remain the same from one year to the next, but you should look for good quality even on sale merchandise.

With all the "Sale", "% Off" and "Save Now", signs it is tempting to do some impulse buying. Consider quality, usefulness and wearlife of any item before you buy it even if the price is reduced.

A bargain is no bargain at all if your purchase ends up on a hanger or tucked away on a shelf.

See you in the New Year!



## Season's Greetings

To all our friends and neighbors in the town and district.

Nick, May and  
Lenard Urchyshyn



Now's the time to thank you for your continued good will, and wish you and your family a happy holiday!

Management and Staff

## DUTCH'S BEAUTY SALON

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## THE HOMEMAKER

### JANUARY SALES

Items on sale early in the new year are usually "true sales". The price of regular stock is greatly reduced and shoppers can often find a real bargain.

One of the annual good buys is on linens, especially sheets and pillow cases. 100% cotton sheets will be available at reasonable savings this year because the influx of permanent sheets has reduced the demand for the plain ones. Some people, find the permanent press sheets hot and sticky on a warm summer night. If so, stock up on all-cotton ones while they are still available.

January is a good time to stock up on birthday and wedding gifts. You'll find reduced prices on china, crystal, glassware and pottery. Household accessories such as bathmats, bathroom scales, cushions, kitchen utensils and electrical appliances will also be on sale.

Fall and winter clothing usually go on sale in January too. The best buys here are on basic items such as sweaters, lingerie, basic dresses



The ever-lasting meaning of the Christmas season lives in a single word -- peace. As we all celebrate with merriment of the season, let us pause also to recall its timeless message of peace and good will toward men.

Members of Town Council  
and the  
Town Staff

Town of Drayton Valley  
Alberta



*Velvety snow falls on the countryside.  
Carolers, young and young at heart, sing  
out the spirit of the holiday. This is the season to be  
jolly, and the time to express our gratitude and  
appreciation to our friends for their support.*

Management and Staff

## DRAYTON VALLEY HOTEL

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# A Very Merry Christmas to All!

Happy holiday wishes to each and every one of you. And thanks for your very kind patronage.



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Management and Staff

## Matador Motel

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

## SEBA BEACH SCHOOL NOTES

A very successful Parent-Teacher Conference was held at the Seba Beach School on Friday, November 28th. About 60% of the parents arrived at the school during the one-day conference to meet the new staff and discuss problems of common interest.

While students enjoyed their day of freedom, parents and teachers spent a mutually beneficial afternoon. All reports indicate that this idea will develop into an annual event.

A very successful school dance was held during the evening of December 12th in the Seba Beach Auditorium. Music for the dance, which was sponsored by the Students' Union, was provided by the Rite Direction. While the dance was in progress, the draw was made for a raffle of a 25 lb. turkey. Now August and Mary Reich of Magnolia know what they are having for Christmas dinner, as August was the lucky winner.

Between 130 and 150 people enjoyed this Friday evening entertainment.

The Seba Beach Senior basketball teams began their season with flying colors. The Seba Beach gym was the scene of two convincing wins during the evening of Monday, December 15th.

The senior girls won their game against Frank Maddock Senior girls by 24-14. The senior boys put up a good battle to trounce the Drayton Valley senior boys 58-51.

High scorers for Seba were Pat Orchison for the girls and Terry Medd for the boys.

The man you noticed urging on the Seba boys was their able coach, Mr. W.J. Anderson, the principal.

The unshakeable pillar of strength behind the girl's team is Mr. J. Waddell, the vice-principal.

During the afternoon of Wednesday, December 17th, the Calgary Power Plant and Alberta Coal Mine at Wabamun were invaded by a horde of 27 enthusiastic science 11 students from Seba Beach. Their teacher, Mr. K. Thiesen, accompanied these young people on their tour of learning to shepherd them back to their quiet (?) classrooms. The field trip, which was taken in conjunction with studies, was judged quite educational, enjoyable and successful by those concerned.



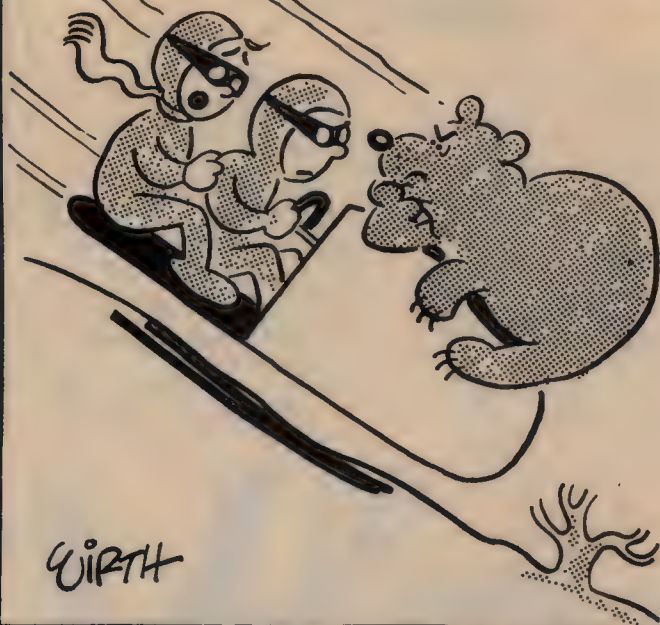
## THE SPIRIT OF Christmas

May the true spirit of Christmas fill your hearts and homes, our sincere thanks to all.

From Adrian Meier & Denis Meier

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## THE HOME TEAM



"I told you to turn left back there!"



## MERRY CHRISTMAS

'Tis the season for joy, thoughtfulness and thank yous. So we're taking time to say just that, and wish you a very Happy Holiday.

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## MERRY CHRISTMAS

FROM THE UNTOUCHABLES

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## Season's Greetings

This snowman is bringing lots of Christmas wishes, and they're all meant for you. We join him in wishing you a season of good cheer. Merry Christmas.



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## To Greet You at Christmas

With fond hopes that all your holiday dreams come true, we send you our best wishes for a Merry Christmas.

To Our Good Friends and Acquaintances  
**"THE YURCHAKS"**

## A Merry Christmas

Hoping you will have an old-fashioned holiday with all its joy, contentment, peace... and sending you heartiest thanks!



Imperial Oil Agent

### M. J. McMahon

Management and Staff  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

## MAGNOLIA NEWS

This community extends congratulations to Judy Reich and Terry McKone who were married on Saturday, December 13th at Tomahawk.

On November 19th, Dorothy and Orris McWillis welcomed a tiny grandson weighing 1½ pounds. He is progressing quite rapidly and has gained two pounds. His proud parents are Ronald and Marg McWillis of Victoria, B.C. They have called their son Christopher Alexander.

Recent visitors at the L. Saretsky home were Mrs. Saretsky's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Benning of Saskatchewan. Also visiting were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. Saretsky of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Storms attended the wedding reception and dance held for Judy Reich and Terry McKone.

Maxine and Glynne Roth spent Wednesday, December 10th visiting their parents in this community.

During the evening of December 12th a large crowd attended a party at the home of Herb and Jean Gilbert.

Pat Brydges and her son, Robby, are spending a week with her parents, Bob and Nora McCracken.

Len Williams reports the fishing is fair in Lake Isle these days.

Orris and Dorothy McWillis spent four days recently visiting Dorothy's sister, May, and family at Bonnyville, her dad and brother at Heinsberg, and sister Anna Cameron at Lindberg.

A speedy recovery is wished for Evelyn Cameron who is spending about 10 days in the Royal Alexandra Hospital. Get well soon, Evelyn.

The Mark Chechotko family are the proud owners of a dark green 1967 Chev. half ton truck.

Bonnie MacDougall spent Saturday night, December 13th, with Debbie Chechotko.

Several local families attended the wedding dance held in Tomahawk for Judy and Terry McKone. Many former local folks also attended.

Many local young people gathered in the hall, Sunday, December 14th to practice for the Christmas concert to be held on Tuesday, December 23rd. The program is proceeding well, and Bruce Anderson is providing musical accompaniment since Evelyn is in hospital.



## Yuletide Greetings

I would like to wish a MERRY CHRISTMAS and a HAPPY NEW YEAR

to all my friends in Drayton Valley and surrounding district.

from Eric Edholm,  
Summerland,  
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## Season's Greetings

The Drayton Valley Recreation Board, the Recreation Director and the entire department staff wish to extend their best wishes to one and all for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

May your family gatherings be filled with merriment and joy, may that peace symbolic of this festive season abide in the hearts of all, may the New Year of 1970 be happy, prosperous, peaceful and rewarding and may the new decade in which we are entering in these most uncertain times hold something assuring and

something special for us all.

We look forward to serving you through the Drayton Valley Recreation Program in the year ahead and we hope that our program will continue to grow and prosper and meet the needs of everyone concerned.

Michael J. Gormley  
Recreation Director

A successful man is one who makes enough money to keep his wife happy. A successful woman is one who marries such a man.

## Merry Christmas



Let Santa go modern if he likes... but the sentiment is old-fashioned, still. Warm greetings and thanks for your loyalty.

From Marg & Doug Barnes and Staff

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## CHRISTMAS CHEER

As the Christmas season begins to sparkle with joy and excitement for all, may we take a moment to say thanks so much for your loyal patronage throughout the year.

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**Merry Christmas**

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## ENTWISTLE NEWS

The Senior Citizens' supper which is an annual event for the O.O.R.P. was a real success. The Brownies performed with a Christmas play and carols were sung. The lucky winners were Mrs. Muriel Johnson and Jack Lank. Mr. R. Gylander thanked all the ladies for their generosity. Many old timers and some that were former residents here were back to enjoy the turkey supper and chat with old acquaintances. Some of those present were: Mr. W. Anderson, Thelma Dolf, Mrs. Omar, Fritz Gylander, Mrs. Harold Hansen, Mrs. Ernie Brown, Mrs. Ted Greaves, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Nielson. We were very pleased that these people came back and we hope to have more next year.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. Evelyn Cameron is in an Edmonton hospital and hope that her stay will not be too long. Hello Evelyn from all of us here.

Norine Nelson has also been in the hospital to have her tonsils removed. We hope she will soon feel much better and be able to go to school. The Entwistle O.O.R.P.

Ladies held their Christmas party on December 16th with 23 ladies present. A short meeting was held, afterwards games were played. Winners of the several games were: Pauline Bullock, Wilma Tufty, Laura Tufty, Christine Relling, Lil Hansen, Doris Field, Mrs. Davies and Mrs. Rochaleau. A delicious lunch was served and the gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bullock and family formerly of Ft. McMurray have been transferred to Kamloops, B.C. and on their way they stopped at Mr. and Mrs. George Bullock's for a few days before resuming their journey.

The wedding dance for Jim and Sharon Wark was held on December 13th in the Entwistle Hall. A very good crowd was present and a number of former residents were out for the occasion.

The Keep Fit Class and the Sewing Class held a joint demonstration of the work they did in the past ten weeks. Christmas decorations were on display for the public to review and see what can be accomplished with everyday articles that we save. The

program was quite well attended and everyone thoroughly enjoyed the evening. Many thanks to the instructors: Zetta MacRae, Penny Deib and Maxine Willoughby for their efforts to bring these worthwhile courses to our community.

Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver attended the funeral of Mrs. Peggy Metheral in Edmonton on Friday, December 12th.

On December 15th, the Entwistle Brownies went on a hike and found some pussy willows, (at this time of year)

### HANGING MISTLETOE

Hanging mistletoe in the home is a tradition which originated with Druid priests. These ancients believed the plant was a sign of peace and hope.



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**merry Christmas**

To friends old and new we send our warmest wishes for a Merry Christmas, filled with the joys of giving and receiving. Our thanks to you.

Management and Staff

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# It's Happy Time Everywhere

**C**HRISTMAS, Yule, Noel, Weihnachten, Kerst-Misse, El Natal, Il Natale—to give some of its designations around the world—and turn of the year celebrations have affinities with seasonal rites of the Romans; the Druids of ancient Britain and Gaul, and other ancient peoples.

The time of the solstice that marked the beginning of the reversal of long nights and short days was observed festively centuries before the

Christian era. Forms of the 12-day celebration of the Roman Saturnalia have parallels in customs that prevail in various sections of the world today.

First, from the 12th to 21st day of December in the kalendae of the Romans was the Saturnalia, when the topsy-turvy aspect of the year was signified by a reversal of status among the populace. By custom slaves for a few days had a sem-

blance of freedom, were waited upon by their masters, and chose from among themselves a mock emperor.

Then, on the 25th, came *Brumalis*, otherwise *Dies Natalis Invicti Solis*, "birthday of the unconquered sun" (with days beginning to lengthen after the solstice), and a time of reverence among worshippers of Mithras, the principal pagan god of the time.

Finally, there was *Kalen-*

*dae Januariæ*, or New Year's Day, when *strenae*, or gifts, were exchanged. Connected with this was *Juvenilia*, or festival of childhood.

After the conversion of Romans to Christianity, these became transfigured in the far-flung realm of the Caesars, notably in Britain, where Yule, the festival of the winter solstice, had been prevalent for perhaps as many centuries as the Jewish "Feast of the Lights." A sociological study of Christmas and Christmas lore by an Englishman, C. G. Crippen, explains that the "very name of it was transferred by the Latin Church to the Feast of the Nativity as early as the 4th Century A.D., when Pope Julius I accepted the findings of a commission of inquiry and set December 25 as the date of Jesus' Birth."

**T**HE "Mummers" of January 1 in both Western and Eastern hemispheres were to be survivors of the topsy-turvy goings-on of the Roman Saturnalia, with mock emperor, centurions or knights on cock-horses, fiery or captive dragon, buffoons,

and other masqueraders. The cock-horse was to endure as a toy—the literal forerunner of the velocipede, or tricycle.

Evergreens figured in all these festivals—the palms of Egypt and the pines of Rome had their symbolical equivalents in the mistletoe and holly of western Europe, the green branches of Asiatic celebrants.

When the Polo brothers, Nicolo and Maffeo, and the former's son, Marco, ventured into China in the 13th century, they observed use of fireworks in New Year celebrations, as symbolical expulsions of the powers of darkness and salute to the solstice. It has been conjectured this was one of the earlier uses of gunpowder, the invention of which is generally attributed to Chinese. Druids similarly burned Yule-logs ceremoniously.

After general opening of commerce between Western nations and China, fireworks manufactured in the latter were imported for Christmas and New Year celebrations before they became identified in the United States with Independence Day celebrations.



Dragons figured in Chinese New Year festivities in Canton of the old days.

## FORM "D" Sale and Redemption of Impounded Animals

Notice is hereby given under Section 52 of The Domestic Animals (Municipalities) Act that One Black Shetland Gelding was impounded in the pound kept on behalf of the County of Parkland No. 31 located on the S.W. 2-53-3-5 on Sunday the 23rd day of November A.D. 1969 and that the said animal was sold on the 8th day of December 1969, to Pete Hardman of Fallis, Alberta and that said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in the Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.

For information apply to the undersigned.

O. W. SCHUSTER,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
County of Parkland No. 31  
Stony Plain, Alberta.

## Fourth Section

### THE WESTERN REVIEW

Drayton Valley, Alberta  
Wed., Dec. 24, 1969

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the wish for peace and happiness.  
And add a heartfelt thank you to all.

Management and Staff

## BAMBEES CONFECTIONERY

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

HOLIDAY STORE HOURS AT BAMBEES  
and GETZINGER'S

Both stores closed Christmas Eve at 9 p.m. Bambees will be open from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Christmas Day, while Getzinger's will be closed all day.

On Boxing Day Bambees will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. and Getzinger's will be open from 4 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Getzinger's will be open from 12 noon to 7 p.m. on New Years Day. Bambees will be closed all day.

## Greetings

From all of us  
to every one  
of you, may  
we offer a  
sleighful  
of the best  
holiday greetings  
and a sincere  
thank you  
for all your  
kindness.



Management and Staff

## PEMBINA DRUG and VALLEY DRUG

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

## NOTICE

### Of Preparation of Assessment Roll

1969

COUNTY OF PARKLAND No. 31  
PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said municipality, made under the provisions of the Assessment Act, has been prepared and will, for thirty (30) days, be open to inspection at the office of the secretary-treasurer of the municipality during business hours and that any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll or to the assessed value placed upon any property must, within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice, lodge his complaint(s) in writing with the secretary-treasurer of the municipality.

Dated this 31st day of December 1969.

O. W. SCHUSTER,  
Secretary-Treasurer.






## GREETINGS

We're ringing in the holiday season with the best of wishes for you and yours. And a hearty thank you to our faithful patrons.

Management and Staff

**MAR NEL'S LADIES WEAR**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



**Greetings**

May our chorus of joyous holiday greetings reach out to you and your family. Our hearty thanks for giving us the pleasure and honor of your patronage.

Management and Staff

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## The Message of Christmas Taught by Latter Day Saints

Several hundred years before the birth of Jesus Christ, God gave many prophets a vision concerning the future birth of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. One such prophet was Isaiah, who lived in the old world. Another prophet that God gave this wonderful vision to was Nephi, a prophet that lived on the American Continent about the year 550 B.C. This prophecy is recorded in the Book of Mormon, and reads as follows, "In the city of Nazareth I beheld a virgin, and she was exceedingly fair and white --- and an angel came down and stood before me, and he said to me, Behold, the virgin whom thou seest is the mother of the Son of God, after the manner of the flesh. And I looked and beheld the virgin again, bearing a child in her arms. And the angel said to me: Behold the Lamb of God, yea even the Son of the Eternal Father: (1 Nephi: 13, 14, 18, 20, 21)

"How glorious it is to have one day set apart to commemorate the birth of the Son of God, who was born in Bethlehem by divine prophesy.

Jesus, born in a manger, inherited all the princely powers of his Father - God, our Creator. He served among mankind only three years, and yet there is no man living who can say that he is not the greatest man who ever walked the earth - the one perfect gentleman who every walked among men. He did not do anything for which people of the world usually consider great. He was not a discoverer. He was not an inventor. He was not a lawyer, and yet he put lawyers to defeat. He was not an author; we have no record of anything he wrote except with his finger in the sand, and none knows what he wrote, to help a poor woman thrust before him by the proud and haughty Pharisees.

In none of the realms in which men and women win their laurels could you say that Jesus was great, but in the realm of character, he was Supreme.

The responsibility of establishing peace in the world rests not alone upon the leaders of nations. It rests upon the individual, upon every home, upon every hamlet and city. Today the destiny of nations is involved in this all-

important question, "What think ye of Christ?" Now is the time as never before for the so-called civilized nations struggling for peace to answer this question and answer it correctly.

Without Jesus Christ, the risen Lord, the world can not survive. The true spirit of Christmas is the Spirit of Christ.

As Jesus looked down through the centuries to come, He knew that peace would be dependent upon the slow but never-failing process of changing each individual's mental attitude. Only to the degree that men desire peace and brotherhood and are willing to follow the paths that lead to this blessed condition, will the world become a better place in which to live.

Only by triumph of principle over evil and by serving our fellow man can we obtain that Peace which Christ came to establish on earth. It is the spirit of brotherhood in the cheer of Christmas that makes it so glorious. Brotherhood is but the manifestation of the spirit of Christ." (Excerpts from a living prophet, David O. McKay).

This year as we celebrate the Birth of the Son of God let's remember the purpose

of this wonderful day, and worship God and His Son, Jesus Christ, the source of all joy and happiness. To many people Christmas has become more worldly and less spiritual. Individuals lust after the riches of the world and forget that Christ has promised them wealth untold. To many people, Christmas is a time for receiving new toys or gifts, or to see how much liquor they can consume. Thus missing the true spirit of Christmas. He was born, lived and died that we, through obedience to his principle might live in peace and love eternally.

Elder Robert L. Miller  
Elder W. David Segler



Diogenes, the philosopher with a somewhat jaundiced view of life, lived in a tub. One might say this was the first kitchen cynic.



## GREETINGS

To all of you, the merriest of Christmases is what we're wishing. May fondest memories endure. Thanks, most warmly.

Management and Staff

**Drayton Tire Sales & Service Ltd.**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# Merry Christmas

May the essence of Christmas once again fill your heart and home with peace and lasting serenity.

To all our faithful and steadfast patrons, we wish the very best at the holiday season.

In lieu of our usual Christmas calendars and trinkets we are donating the money to the Retarded Children's Association. Frank and Staff

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## MERRY Christmas

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"THUNDERBIRDS ARE GO" Family

TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY - DEC. 30th and 31st

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**Happy Holiday**

Our best wishes for a merry old fashioned Christmas.



Management and Staff

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PHONE 542-3722 - DRAYTON VALLEY

## GREETINGS to ALL



Here's wishing that your Christmas holiday keeps rolling along with lots of merriment for everybody. And to our good customers go our thanks.

**GREEN T TEXACO SERVICE**

Gerald Anderson and Howard Baker

PHONE 542-3210 - DRAYTON VALLEY

## Greetings from Ag. Committee

Again during the year 1969 it was a pleasure to work with the farmers of this County. Adverse weather conditions during the past year caused concern in many areas. First a mid summer frost and then widespread wet harvesting conditions. When we compare this area with our northern neighbors, lets be thankful for making good progress and in reaping an average crop. Your County Council, the Department of Agriculture and the Agricultural Committee have worked harmoniously to promote a service to assist the economic welfare of the farmer. Problems can only be checked and progress achieved through the co-operation of all concerned.

Your Agricultural Fieldman William Moelhoff would like to extend "Greetings and best wishes for Christmas and the New Year".

## SEKURA AUCTIONS

### MARKET REPORT

With a moderate run of cattle on offer on Wednesday, December 17th prices held firm on quality offered.

Good stock steer calves sold from 35.00 to 40.00 per cwt. with light ones to 43.00 per cwt.

Good heifer calves sold from 33.00 to 36.00, light ones higher.

Yearling steers traded from 27.00 to 34.00 per cwt. with light ones higher.

Yearling heifers sold from 25.00 to 33.00 per cwt.

Good cows traded from 17 to 22.50 with lighter kinds to 23.40 per cwt.

Preg. tested stock cows sold from \$225.00 to \$282.50 per head.

Weaner hogs sold from \$15.00 to \$21.25 per head.

Medium type bred sows sold up to \$94 per head.

Boars sold to a high of \$58 per head.

### Singing First Carol

Singing of the first Christmas carol is attributed to St. Francis of Assisi and his followers, in the 13th century.

St. Francis arranged a Nativity scene and led the singing of songs of praise to the Christ Child.



**Blessings**

Joy and blessings to all, during the Holiest of Seasons.

**SAM'S UPHOLSTERY**

SAM PARENTEAU

DRAYTON VALLEY, ALTA.

## NOTICE

### Of Preparation of Assessment Roll 1970

### NEW TOWN OF LODGEPOLE

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment roll of the said municipality, made under the provision of the assessment act, has been prepared and will for thirty (30) days be open to inspection at the office of the secretary-treasurer of the municipality, during business hours. That any person who desires to object to the entry of his name, or that of any other person upon the said roll, or to the assessed value placed upon any property, must within thirty (30) days from the date of this notice, lodge his complaint in writing with the Secretary-Treasurer of the municipality.

DATED this 17th day of December, 1969

(MRS.) BERTHA E. ERICKSON  
SECRETARY - TREASURER

COUNTY OF PARKLAND No. 31

### REPAIR SHOP MANAGER

Written applications will be received by the undersigned up to 12:00 o'clock noon on Wednesday, December 31, 1969 for the position of Repair Shop Manager.

Applicants should possess a good knowledge of heavy equipment maintenance and repair plus the ability to supervise and control a working force of men.

Please submit all pertinent information such as age, marital status, salary expected, etc.

Application forms and further information may be obtained from the undersigned.

O.W. Schuster,  
Secretary-Treasurer,  
County of Parkland No. 31,  
Stony Plain, Alberta.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

CO-OPERATIVE FIRE and CASUALTY COMPANY

is happy to announce the appointment of

### NOREEN JORGENSEN

as their Sales Representative in the Drayton Valley area

For your insurance requirements call -

Noreen Jorgenson at 542-4141

or drop by the

**U.F.A. Co-op Bulk Station**

## THE GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA



## IMPORTANT NOTICE

TO

### APPLICANTS FOR PROVINCIAL HOMEOWNER TAX DISCOUNT

Property owners eligible for the Provincial Homeowners Tax Discount with respect to the tax year 1967, who have not filed an application, are reminded that application forms must be submitted on or before December 31st, 1969.

For additional information or assistance contact the

**TAXATION OFFICE  
IN YOUR MUNICIPALITY**



Many ancient legends associate trees with Christmas. One is that on the first Holy Night, all the trees of the forest blossomed and bore fruit.

The idea of adorning the Christmas tree with ornaments may have started with an attempt to create the effect of snow on the branches. Strings of popcorn and tufts of cotton were used.

## Funeral Services for Mrs. Siebels, Tomahawk

Funeral services were held, December 10th for Mrs. Marie Siebels in the Tomahawk Catholic Church. Father Lynch officiated and interment was made in the Tomahawk Cemetery.

Mrs. Siebels was born in Manly, Iowa on September 8th, 1892. She married John Siebels in Manly on January 4th, 1911. The couple farmed near Grand Forks, North Dakota and northern Minnesota before moving to a home- stead in the Tomahawk district in 1929.

She was predeceased by her husband as a result of a tractor accident in 1948 and a son Alvin was killed in action in Italy in 1944.

She leaves to mourn, one brother Charlie Reidinger of Appleton, Minnesota, one sister, Mrs. Tracey Trebil of Paradise, California, three children, Mrs. Bernice Sullivan of Drayton Valley, Earl Siebels of Tomahawk and Arvilla Rude of Redding, California. She also leaves 14 grandchildren and 25 great grandchildren.



## Merry Christmas

May all your dreams be fulfilled.  
Thanks for your continued support.

From the Players, Directors, Executive and Staff  
of the

**THE DRAYTON VALLEY REBEL  
HOCKEY CLUB**



## Tidings of Gladness and Joy

We'd like to extend wishes that this Christmas be a joyful one and that the spirit of His birth remain in your hearts always.  
A most sincere thank you, friends.

The Management and Staff  
**DRAYTON VALLEY HOTEL CAFE**  
Closing  
CHRISTMAS DAY and NEW YEAR'S DAY

## Minimum Wage Raised

The Honourable Raymond Reiersen, Minister of Labour, announced last week that the Cabinet approved a recommendation from the Board of Industrial Relations to increase the minimum wage of employees 18 years of age and over to \$1.40 per hour effective April 1, 1970, with a further increase to \$1.55 per hour effective October 1, 1970.

The minimum wage for employees under 18 years of age will be 15¢ per hour less than the minimum established for those 18 and older. The present minimum wage of \$1.25 per hour has not been increased since January 1, 1968.

The recommendation follows consideration of submissions made to the Board of Industrial Relations at public hearings recently held in Edmonton, Calgary, Grande Prairie and Lethbridge.

Many Christmas greens used today were once pagan symbols. Flowers and leafy boughs were used in Roman rites. The Saxons used holly, ivy and bay in their religious observances.



## Merry Christmas

Best wishes of the season, friends, and grateful thanks.

Betty, Jean and Joan  
**SIMPSON-SEARS**  
Order Office, Drayton Valley

Earl & Ella Kelly  
and  
Kellys Pump Service Ltd.

would like to wish one and all a

*Merry Christmas*  
and a  
*Happy New Year*

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DRAYTON VALLEY



## EDSON HEALTH UNIT

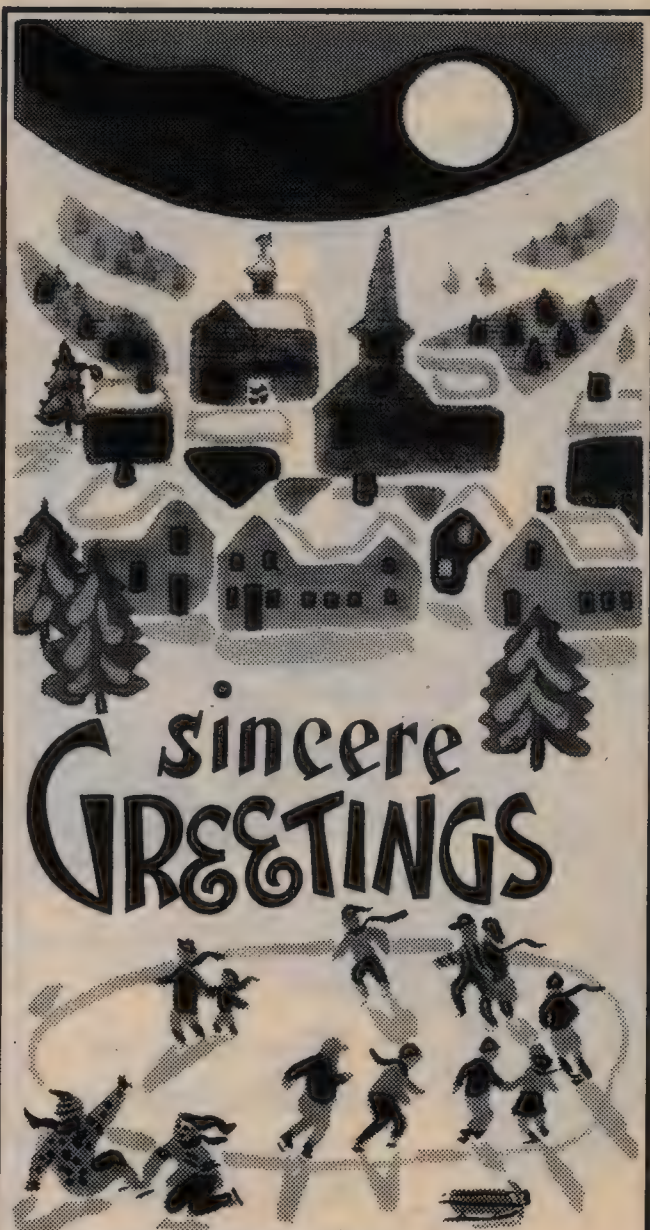
INFANT, CHILD AND ADULT HEALTH CLINICS

(Including Sabin Oral Polimoyelitis Vaccine.  
Measles Vaccine is available for pre-school  
Children from 3 months of age)

DRAYTON VALLEY - Town Office - Every Wednesday  
9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.; 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.  
By Appointment - Phone 542-3842

EVANSBURG - Legion Hall - 2nd Thursday of each month.  
By Appointment - Phone 727-3595

LODGEPOLE - Town Office - 1st Tuesday of each month.  
1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.



## Sincere GREETINGS

'Tis the season to be jolly,  
and here's wishing all of our good  
friends the jolliest of  
greetings... the warmest of thanks.

**SWANEE  
WELL SERVICING LTD.**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# HIWAY 16 HOCKEY LEAGUE DIVISION SCHEDULES

The 1969-70 Minor Hockey season opened December 13th in Parkland in nine different communities with 21 teams in three divisions, Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget.

This year the administration of this League has been put in the hands of the Parkland Regional Recreation Department.

The nine communities involved in the hockey program are: Tomahawk, Midget; Spruce Grove, 2 Bantam and

Midget; Stony Plain, Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget; Onoway, Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget; Darwell, Pee Wee; St. Albert, Midget, 2 teams; Devon, Pee Wee, Bantam, and Midget; Drayton Valley, Pee Wee and Bantam; Wabamun, Pee Wee, Bantam and Midget.

The following are the schedules for each Division. Please cut out so you may keep track of where the games are:

## HIWAY 16 HOCKEY LEAGUE MIDGET DIVISION SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Home	Visitors
Sun.	Dec. 14	7:30	Devon	St. Albert "A"
Tues.	Dec. 16	8:00	Wabamun	Onoway
Friday	Dec. 19	8:00	Spruce Grove	Stony Plain
		8:00	St. Albert "B"	Wabamun
		8:00	Spruce Grove	Devon
Sun.	Dec. 21	2:00	Tomahawk	Onoway
Mon.	Dec. 22	7:00	Stony Plain	St. Albert "A"
Sun.	Dec. 28	2:00	Tomahawk	St. Albert "B"
Sun.	Jan. 4	2:00	Onoway	Devon
		2:00	Tomahawk	Spruce Grove
Mon.	Jan. 5	8:00	St. Albert "A"	St. Albert "B"
Wed.	Jan. 7	7:00	Stony Plain	Wabamun
Fri.	Jan. 9	8:00	St. Albert "A"	Onoway
Sun.	Jan. 11	2:00	Wabamun	Tomahawk
		2:00	Spruce Grove	St. Albert "A"
		7:30	Devon	Stony Plain
Mon.	Jan. 12	8:00	St. Albert "B"	Devon
Tues.	Jan. 13	8:00	Onoway	Spruce Grove
Wed.	Jan. 14	8:00	Devon	Tomahawk
Fri.	Jan. 16	8:00	St. Albert "A"	Tomahawk
Sun.	Jan. 18	7:30	Devon	Wabamun
		2:00	Onoway	Stony Plain
Mon.	Jan. 19	8:00	St. Albert "A"	Wabamun
Tues.	Jan. 20	8:00	Onoway	St. Albert "B"
Wed.	Jan. 21	7:00	Stony Plain	Tomahawk
Thur.	Jan. 22	8:00	St. Albert "B"	Stony Plain
Sun.	Jan. 25	2:00	Wabamun	Spruce Grove
		2:00	Onoway	Tomahawk
Mon.	Jan. 26	8:00	St. Albert "A"	Devon
		7:00	Stony Plain	St. Albert "B"
Wed.	Jan. 28	8:00	Devon	Spruce Grove
Fri.	Jan. 30	8:00	St. Albert "B"	Onoway
		8:00	Tomahawk	Wabamun
Sun.	Feb. 1	2:00	Wabamun	Stony Plain
		7:30	Devon	St. Albert "B"
		2:00	Spruce Grove	Onoway
Wed.	Feb. 4	7:00	Tomahawk	St. Albert "A"
Fri.	Feb. 6	8:00	Stony Plain	Spruce Grove
Sun.	Feb. 8	2:00	St. Albert "B"	St. Albert "A"
		2:00	Wabamun	Devon
Mon.	Feb. 9	7:00	Spruce Grove	St. Albert "B"
		8:00	Stony Plain	Onoway
Wed.	Feb. 11	8:00	Spruce Grove	Spruce Grove
		7:00	Stony Plain	Wabamun
Fri.	Feb. 13	8:00	Tomahawk	Devon
		8:00	St. Albert "A"	Stony Plain
Sun.	Feb. 15	2:00	Wabamun	St. Albert "A"
		2:00	Tomahawk	Stony Plain
		7:30	Devon	Onoway
Mon.	Feb. 16	8:00	St. Albert "B"	Tomahawk
Tues.	Feb. 17	8:00	Wabamun	Onoway
Thurs.	Feb. 19	8:00	Onoway	St. Albert "A"
Sun.	Feb. 22	2:00	Spruce Grove	Tomahawk
		2:00	Wabamun	St. Albert "B"

Support Minor Hockey

## HIWAY 16 HOCKEY LEAGUE BANTAM DIVISION SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Home	Visitors
Mon.	Dec. 15	7:00	Spruce Grove "B"	Stony Plain
Wed.	Dec. 17	7:00	Spruce Grove "A"	Dray. Valley
		7:00	Wabamun	Devon
Sat.	Dec. 20	3:30	Devon	Onoway
		3:45	Stony Plain	Wabamun
		6:00	Dray. Valley	Spruce Grove "B"
Mon.	Dec. 22	7:00	Spruce Grove "B"	Spruce Grove "A"
Tues.	Dec. 23	7:00	Onoway	Stony Plain
Sat.	Dec. 27	7:00	Onoway	Wabamun
		3:30	Devon	Spruce Grove "B"
		3:45	Stony Plain	Spruce Grove "A"
Fri.	Jan. 2	7:00	Spruce Grove "A"	Wabamun
Sat.	Jan. 3	6:00	Dray. Valley	Onoway
		3:45	Stony Plain	Devon
Wed.	Jan. 7	7:00	Wabamun	Spruce "B"
Thurs.	Jan. 8	7:00	Onoway	Spruce "A"
Fri.	Jan. 9	7:00	Wabamun	Dray. Valley
Sun.	Jan. 11	3:30	Devon	Dray. Valley
Fri.	Jan. 16	7:00	Spruce "A"	Devon
Sat.	Jan. 17	6:00	Dray. Valley	Stony Plain
Sun.	Jan. 18	2:00	Spruce "B"	Onoway
Sat.	Jan. 24	6:00	Dray. Valley	Spruce "A"
		3:45	Stony Plain	Spruce "B"
		3:30	Devon	Wabamun
Sat.	Jan. 31	3:45	Stony Plain	Drayton Valley
		3:30	Devon	Spruce "A"
		7:00	Onoway	Spruce "B"
Thurs.	Feb. 5	7:00	Onoway	Devon
Fri.	Feb. 6	7:00	Wabamun	Stony Plain
		7:00	Spruce "B"	Dray. Valley
Mon.	Feb. 9	7:00	Spruce "A"	Spruce "B"
Wed.	Feb. 11	7:00	Wabamun	Onoway
Sat.	Feb. 14	6:00	Dray. Valley	Wabamun
		3:45	Stony Plain	Onoway
Sun.	Feb. 15	3:30	Devon	Stony Plain
		2:00	Onoway	Dray. Valley
Wed.	Feb. 18	7:00	Spruce "B"	Devon
		7:00	Wabamun	Spruce "A"
Fri.	Feb. 20	7:00	Spruce "A"	Stony Plain
Sat.	Feb. 21	6:00	Dray. Valley	Devon
Sun.	Feb. 22	2:00	Spruce "B"	Wabamun
Mon.	Feb. 23	7:00	Spruce "A"	Onoway

## HIWAY 16 HOCKEY LEAGUE PEE WEE SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Home	Visitors
Sat.	Dec. 13	4:00	Drayton Valley	Darwell
		2:00	Stony Plain	Wabamun
Thurs.	Dec. 18	6:30	Onoway	Devon
		7:00	Stony Plain	Darwell
Sat.	Dec. 20	4:00	Drayton Valley	Devon
		11:00	Wabamun	Onoway
Sat.	Dec. 27	4:00	Dray. Valley	Stony Plain
		1:30	Devon	Wabamun
Sunday	Dec. 28	1:00	Darwell	Onoway
Sat.	Jan. 3	1:30	Devon	Darwell
Tues.	Jan. 6	7:00	Wabamun	Dray. Valley
		6:30	Onoway	Stony Plain
Sat.	Jan. 10	2:00	Stony Plain	Devon
Sun.	Jan. 11	1:00	Darwell	Wabamun
		6:30	Onoway	Dray. Valley
Tues.	Jan. 13	7:00	Wabamun	Stony Plain
Sat.	Jan. 17	1:30	Devon	Onoway
Sun.	Jan. 18	1:00	Darwell	Dray. Valley
Wed.	Jan. 21	6:30	Devon	Dray. Valley
Thurs.	Jan. 22	6:30	Onoway	Wabamun
Sat.	Jan. 24	11:00	Wabamun	Devon
Sun.	Jan. 25	1:00	Darwell	Stony Plain
Tues.	Jan. 27	7:00	Stony Plain	Dray. Valley
Sat.	Jan. 31	4:00	Dray. Valley	Wabamun
Sun.	Feb. 1	6:30	Onoway	Darwell
Thurs.	Feb. 5	7:00	Stony Plain	Onoway
		7:00	Wabamun	Darwell
Sat.	Feb. 7	4:00	Dray. Valley	Onoway
Sun.	Feb. 8	1:00	Darwell	Devon
Tues.	Feb. 10	6:30	Devon	Stony Plain

## KEEPPHILLS NEWS

Mrs. Mable Bryant is spending a week with her son Gordon and family at Drayton Valley.

Sherryn, Gordon and Debbie Ramond from Vancouver visited their parents in Edmonton last week and then came out to see their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Raymond, before returning home on Sunday.

Mr. Bryant got to the school last Friday to find that one of the propane tanks was empty; and all the children had to be sent back home.

Linda and Doug Walker arrived home recently and are in Calgary this week finding a house to live in as Doug will be stationed there.

Nola and Wendy Strassburger, Melodie and Michael Edge and Christal White and Danny Raymond were guests on Popcom Playhouse.

Merry Christmas



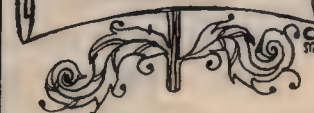
To our many friends, acquaintances and business associates we wish a happy and joyous Christmas and the very best in the New Year. In lieu of Christmas Cards we are making a donation to Canadian National Institute for the Blind.

Les and Olga Brown, Lobe Holdings Ltd.



## Christmas Blessings

"Christ the Saviour is born!" The glad tidings of this age-old story ring out anew, and the message of the Nativity brings joy and blessings.



**DRAYDEN  
INSURANCE &  
ACCOUNTING LTD.**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALTA.

## Holy Night

Each year at Christmas, the sacred story of the first Holy Night lives anew. Now may the Miracle of Bethlehem bestow its blessings upon each of us. Bountiful thanks to our customers for your many favors.

Management and Staff

## AMBASSADOR MOTEL

PHONE 542-3772 or 542-3239 - DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA



# WANT TO SELL...BUY...RENT...HIRE? USE THE CLASSIFIED ADS

## FOR SALE

FOR SALE-Good household items including deep freeze, washer and dryer, electric stove, mandrill and number of other items. Phone 542-4067. 24tr

FOR SALE-1969 Arctic Cat P22, used 10 hours. Will take \$600 cash plus 1000 bu. barley or 1200 bu. of oats. Phone Matt Leake at 542-3072 days or Mobuck Ranch at 542-2329 evenings. 24c

FOR SALE-Good grain. Oats 50¢ bu.; Barley 75¢ bu.; Wheat \$1; Also green feed 30¢ per bale and mixed hay 35¢ per bale. Apply F. Korzan, Highvale. Phone 731-2105. 10,17,24

FOR SALE-1962 G.M.C. 1 ton dual wheels, with grain box; 7 ft. chisel plow; 44 M.H. diesel with live hydraulics. Phone 848-2544. 10,17,24

FOR SALE-Dry, dressed lumber or rough. All sizes; Also hay bales, alfalfa and greenfeed bales. Phone 542-2370. 17,24

FOR SALE-Pomeranian-Chihuahua crossbred puppies. Phone 542-2393. 17,24c

FOR SALE-Mobile steamer, 250 Malsbury, mounted in 1963 G.M.C. school bus; 1966 G.M.C. 1/2 ton, 6 cyl., 4 speed. Good condition. Phone 542-2496. 17,24p

## FOR SALE CONTINUED

FOR SALE-160 acres NE 35-49-8-5. Will sell full quarter with building site, or building site with acreage. 3 bedroom 2-story house, running water, electricity, thermostat coal stoker, fair out buildings, new garage. Landscaped, good garden. On school bus route. 2 miles off hard top on Easyford Road. Phone 542-2268 or 542-3272. 10tr

FOR SALE-Feed wheat 85¢ bu. at bin. Phone 542-2090. Pete Kwasnycia, Rocky Rapids. 10-7p

FOR SALE-'68 Pontiac Firebird low mileage. Cheap for cash. Lot 5, Western Trailer Court. Phone 542-3780. 10tr

## WANTED

WANTED-Pulp wood, standing or cut, cut \$6 a cord. Contact Bruno Bender. Phone 731-2215 after 9:00 p.m. 19-d24

WANTED-Room and board for 3rd year student from Waterloo University, from January 4th until May 1st. Please phone 542-3438. 24p

## HELP WANTED

WANTED-Full time bookkeeper - cashier. Apply Box 1230 Drayton Valley, Alberta with particulars. 24c

## FOR RENT

FOR RENT-Scout Hall for social Functions, etc. Phone 542-4283.

FOR RENT-In the Village of Evansburg, two bedroom house with water and sewer. Phone 727-3614. 17,24c

FOR RENT-Three to four bedroom home, available after January 1st. Oil furnace, water, very reasonable. Inspection by appointment only. Phone Art at 339-3761 after 6 p.m. 24c

## NOTICE

ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS The most successful way known today to ease alcoholism. Meetings Sunday nights at 8:00 p.m. Open meetings last Sunday of every month. AL-NON meets Sundays at 8:00 p.m. For further information Phone 542-3268. tr

STOCKMEN-Are you short of feed? Then stretch that haystack and improve your herd at the same time by culling the boarders, (including Ferdie the Freeloader) and breeding the rest to Evansburg Breeder Service Sires. Your judicious culling combined with our selective breeding is guaranteed to effect on general improvement in your herd quality. Phone 727-3922 before 11:00 a.m. daily.

HELP--P.E. 30 students of FMHS are in dire need of skd equipment for an instructional class in January. Broken equipment will be replaced. Contact Doug Hall at 542-2132 or 542-4180. 17,24,j7p

NOTICE-Will do snowploughing on oilfield roads and leases. Phone 542-4331. 10tr

NOTICE-Horse training available, will board in box stall or tie stall. Call Percy at 542-4543 after 6 p.m. 17,24

Cattlemen--Grain Farmers. MOBUCK CUSTOM FEEDLOTS offers: 1-Management and care, cows and calves, summer and winter, (shares or fee basis). 2-Steers and/or heifers feedlot finishing; 3-Temporary holding facilities; 4-Mr. Businessman, a cattle investment can yield good returns. For further particulars write or call: Mobuck Custom Feed Lots, Box 987, Drayton Valley, Alberta. (Yards at Lindale). Phone 542-3077 d days. 542-2329 evenings. tr

## Yuletide Greetings

Best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year To All.  
Mrs. Edith Dunington.

## MERRY CHRISTMAS

We wish to extend greetings of the season to our many friends and neighbors in Entwistle, Evansburg and districts.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gordon  
R.R. 1 Chermains, B.C.

## A Christmas Wish

We wish to say thanks to all our friends and neighbors of Drayton Valley and area who made our four years there so pleasant.  
Merry Christmas and Happy New Year to you all,  
The Frank Neil Family,  
Stettler, Alberta.

## MEMORIALS - MONUMENTS GRAVE COVERS

Contact H.E. Bradford, Warburg, Alberta, your Remco Memorial Consultant (Maclean's Granite, Red Deer). Ph. 848-2363. Free installation. tr.



Government of the Province of Alberta

Notice of Adoption of Assessment Roll 1970

THE ASSESSMENT ROLLS FOR SPECIAL AREAS NOS. 2, 3, AND 4 AND ALL IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS ARE ADOPTED WITH THE EXCEPTION OF CERTAIN PARCELS AND AREAS IN THE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS AS SET OUT IN MINISTERIAL ORDER NO. 255/69 DATED THE EIGHTH DAY OF OCTOBER, 1969, WHICH MAY BE SEEN IN THE OFFICE OF THE UNDERSIGNED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the assessment rolls of SPECIAL AREAS NOS. 2, 3 and 4 and all IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS made under the provisions of the Municipal Taxation Act have been prepared and will for thirty (30) days be open to inspection at the Department of Municipal Affairs, 10363 - 108th Street, Edmonton, Alberta, during business hours. Any person who desires to object to the entry of his name or that of any other person upon the said roll (s), or to the assessed value placed upon any property must, within thirty (30) days from January 1, 1970, lodge his complaint (s) in writing with the Department of Municipal Affairs.

Dated this 24th day of November, 1969.

DEPUTY MINISTER  
DEPARTMENT OF MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS

## THANK YOU

The students of Frank Mad-dock High School would like to extend sincere thanks to the following business places for the many generous donations received for the high school bonspiel held on December 20th and 21st: Sted-mans; Macleods; Mar Neil's; Home Centre; Eriksson's Music Centre; Al's Sports Shop; Donald MacKenzie's Men's Wear; The Bay; Marshall-Wells; Adam's Shoe Store; Valley Valet; Green T Texaco Service; Crown Lumber; Dr. Ken Heater; Braidnor Construction; Pembina Pipe Line Ltd.; Drayden Insurance; The Western Review; Lloyd's Jewellery; Dr. Lewis; Pembina Drug Store; Albert Bailey; Ganske's Welding; T.M. Electric; Electrical Contractors; Swanee Well Servicing Ltd.; Anchor Construction; Derrick Supply; Maclean Well Servicing; Jensen's Auto Body; A.M. Plumbing & Heating; Dr. Waugh and Dr. Eustace; and Meraw & McGee Well Servicing.

We would also like to wish everyone a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## RENTALS

HEIDI-ANNA APARTMENT Now accepting applications for Deluxe One and Two Bedroom Suites on the first and second floors. Applications are available at this office.

CONTACT --Denis Meier.

## MEIER REAL ESTATE

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AFTER HOURS - 542-4670  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALTA.

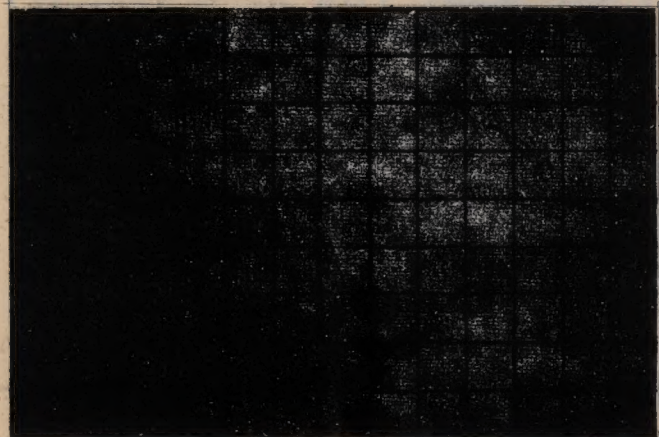
## FOR SALE



ACREAGE - 10 ACRES WITH MODERN HOME  
Water, Septic System, Power Installed, Rug in Living Room, Fenced Yard, Lawn, Garage, Sun Porch and Fruit Trees. Situated 5 miles from Drayton Valley on Gravel Road.

**Price - \$15,400**

Down Payment - \$4,600. Balance at \$146.57 Per Month



## 2 BEDROOM HOUSE

Low down payment on this 2 bedroom house with fenced yard, furnace and new cupboard. Low taxes.

**Price - \$4,400**

Down Payment - \$1,353. Balance at \$65 Per Month

## JOHNSON REALTY & INSURANCE

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## Merry Christmas

Our own Christmas carol to all our friends: Thank you for your continued patronage! Merry Christmas.

from

**CHAPMAN ELECTRIC**  
DRAYTON VALLEY, ALBERTA

# Season's Greetings

from

## SEKURA AUCTIONS

TUES. DEC. 23 - REGULAR SALE } NOTE DATE  
TUES. DEC. 30 - REGULAR SALE } CHANGE  
WED. JAN. 7 '70 - REGULAR SALE 1:00 p.m.

## Other Sale Dates Pending

Drayton Valley Livestock Trucking Centre

WENDY SEKURA or PHONE 542-4337

## SEKURA AUCTIONS

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# CHRISTMAS CHURCH SERVICES

**ALL SAINTS' ANGLICAN CHURCH**  
Rev. G. E. Ingram, L.Th. Rector

**CHRISTMAS EVE** - Dec. 24  
Holy Communion-11:15 p.m.  
**CHRISTMAS DAY** - Dec. 25  
Holy Communion-10:00 a.m.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1969**  
The Sunday After Christmas  
Holy Communion-10:00 a.m.  
Evening Prayer-7:30 p.m.

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 4, 1970**  
Second Sunday After Christmas  
Holy Communion-10:00 a.m.  
Evening Prayer-7:30 p.m.

**ST. ANTHONY'S CHURCH**  
Rev. E. Lynch

**CHRISTMAS EVE MASS**  
11:30 p.m. followed by a brief  
Divine Light Vigil Service

**CHRISTMAS DAY**  
11:00 a.m. - Children's Mass

**NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICE**  
Commencing 7:00 p.m.

**NEW YEAR'S DAY SERVICE**  
Commencing 11:00 a.m.

**TOMAHAWK SERVICES**  
**CHRISTMAS EVE MASS**  
9:30 p.m. - Midnight Mass

**NEW YEAR'S EVE SERVICE**  
Commencing 8:45 p.m.

**CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF  
LATTER DAY SAINTS**  
Robert L. Miller, Branch Pres.

Sunday School - 10:30 a.m.  
Sacrament Meeting-11:30 a.m.

**EMMAUS LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Rev. Dale Mohr, Pastor

**CHRISTMAS DAY**  
9:30 a.m. - Holy Communion

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28th**  
9:30 - Divine Worship  
10:45 - Sunday School

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 4th**  
9:30 - Divine Worship

**IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH**  
Tomahawk, Alberta  
**CHRISTMAS EVE** - 8:00 p.m.  
Children's Christmas Service  
**CHRISTMAS DAY**  
11:15 - Holy Communion

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28th**  
10:15 - Sunday School  
11:15 - Divine Worship

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 4th**  
11:15 - Divine Worship

**DRAYTON VALLEY CHURCH OF GOD**  
Donald Snell, Pastor

**CHRISTMAS DAY SERVICE**  
Commencing 10:30 a.m.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28th**  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Service  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service

**SUNDAY, JANUARY 4th**  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Service  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service

**PENTECOSTAL TABERNACLE**  
Rev. R. E. Kemp  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
3:30 p.m. - Lodgepole School

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**CHRISTMAS EVE**-Dec. 24  
7:30 p.m. - Sermonette "The  
Message of the Manager". The  
Choir's anthem "O Holy Night"  
Every one welcome and you  
will be blessed by your attend-  
ance.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28th**  
No Sunday School. Nursery  
will be available.  
11:00 a.m. - Divine Worship.  
Sermon: "Take a Long Look at  
Life". The Sacrament of Bap-  
tism will be observed at this  
service.

**CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Pastor Owen Isaacson

**CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICE**  
Commencing at 8:00 p.m.

**SUNDAY, DECEMBER 28th**  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Service



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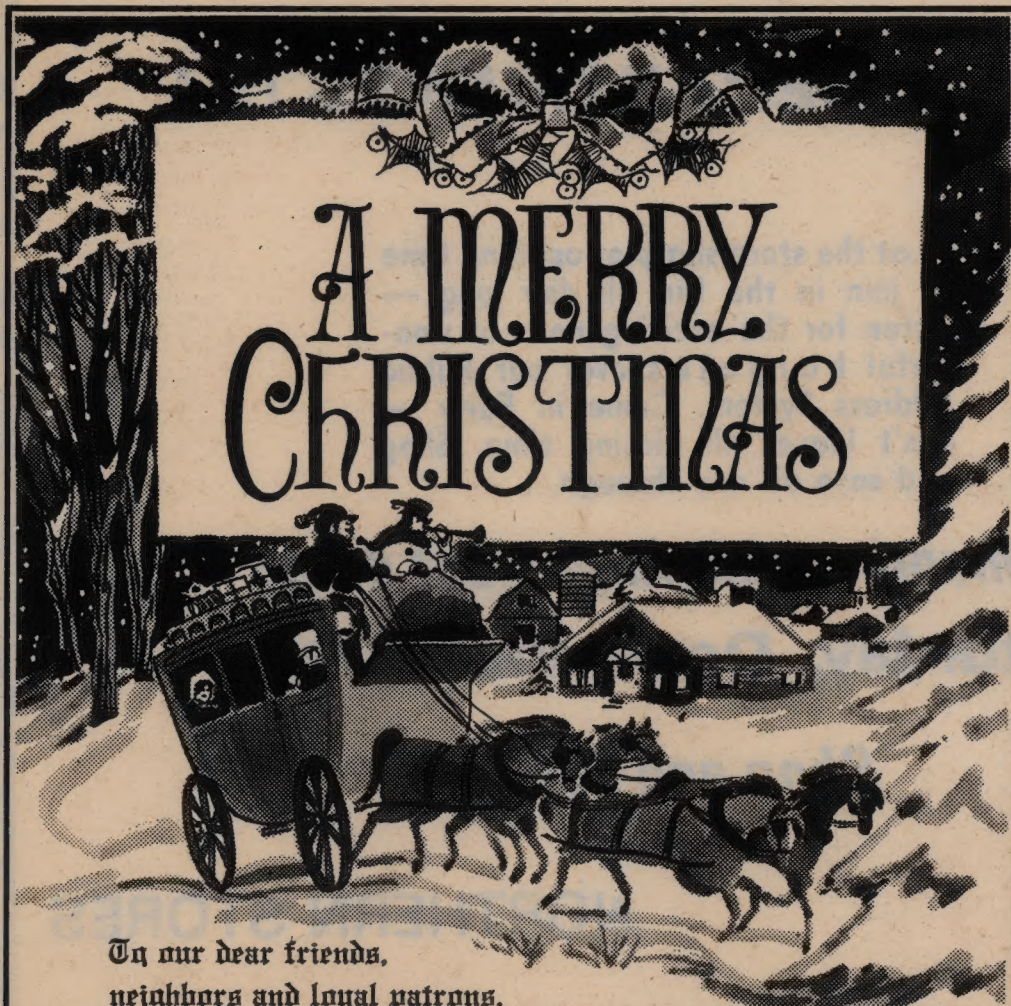
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